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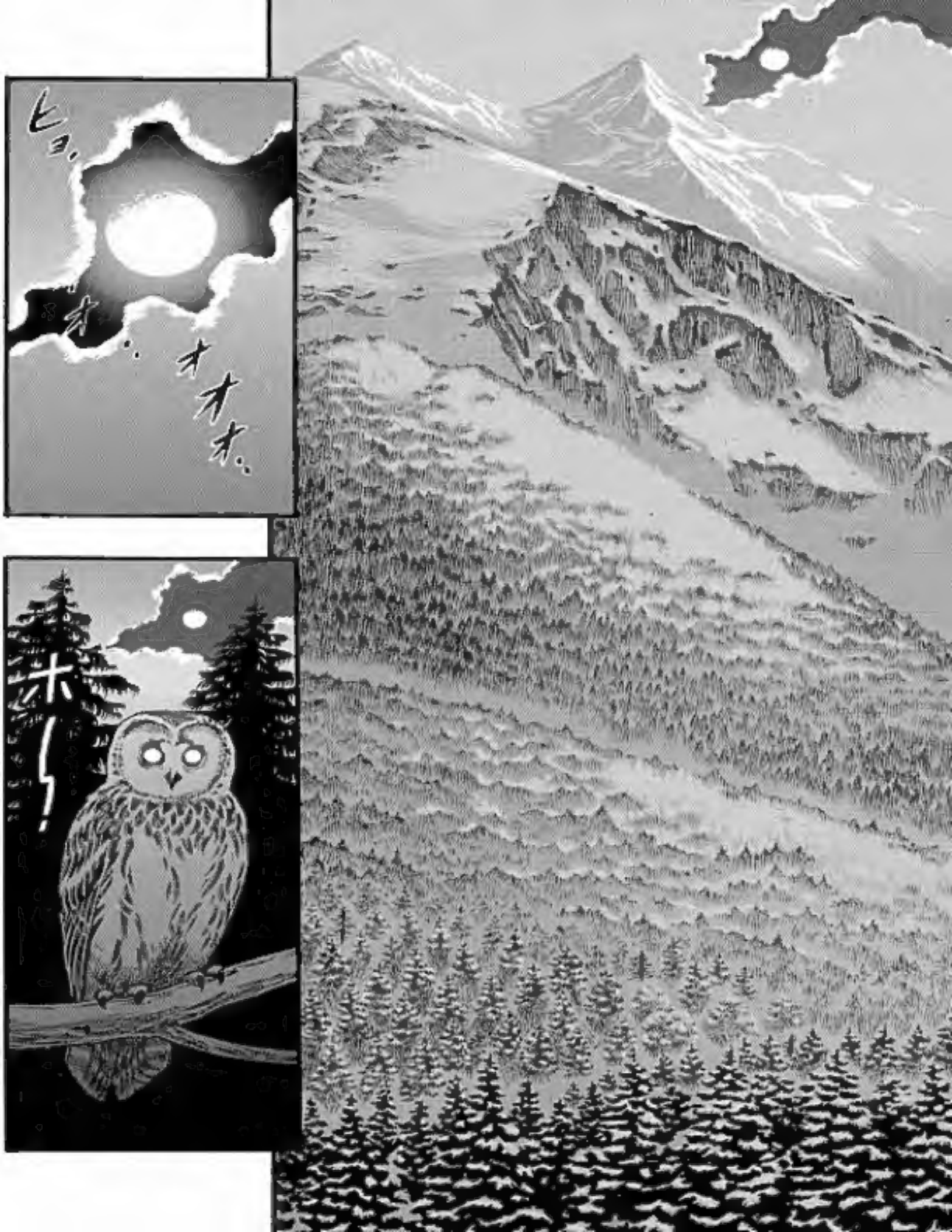
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どくろ
骸骨の騎士



死にたい

**KNIGHT OF
SKELETON**







SINCE
I CAMPED
ALONE
LIKE THIS.

YEAH,
IT'S BEEN
AWHILE...

ALONE



TCH!

WHY'M
I SO
SCARED
..?

...THAT THE
NIGHT WAS
THIS VAST,
THIS DEEP...

I'D
FORGOTTEN...

I HAVEN'T
BEEN TRULY
ALONE ONCE
THESE
THREE
YEARS.

WHEN
I
THINK
ABOUT
IT

305

I'D
FOR-
GOTTEN.

THIS
SENSE
OF LINEAGE
UNLESS MY
SWORD'S
RIGHT NEXT
TO ME.

I
NEVER
EVEN
THOUGHT
TO TRY

OF
COURSE,
I COULD'VE
AVOIDED
NIGHTS LIKE
THIS BACK
THEN.



AS
LONG
AS I
CAN
FEEL
WARM.

TO BE
HONEST

TRYING
TO
THROW
AWAY
SOMETHING

MAYBE
I'M
ONCE
AGAIN.

ISN'T
THAT
GOOD
ENOUGH?

OF AN
IRREPLACEABLE
TODAY FOR
SOME VALUE
TOMORROW I
MIGHT NEVER
FIND IF
IT EVEN
EXISTS. ?

AM I
TRYING
TO LET
GO.

IRREPLACE-
ABLE
THAT I'LL
NEVER
HAVE
AGAIN?

EVEN
WITHOUT
SOME BIG
EXAGGER-
ATED
DREAM.

PEOPLE
GO ON
LIVING.





...IDEA IN MY
HEAD FROM
HEARING
GRIFFITH'S
WORDS. IF I
HADN'T

IN THE
FIRST
PLACE,
I GOT
THIS..



SO.

CAN I
SAY I'VE
SET OUT
BY MY OWN
WILL?



NEVER
BECOME
GRIFFITH.

YOU
CAN..

IT'S
YESTERDAY.



THAT'S
NOT
TODAY
ANYMORE





COULD
IT
BE...??



WHAT
WAS
THAT

THAT
BLOOD-
THIRSTY
NEED??



A
BEAST??

NO



THIS
IS

I
REMEM-
BER
THIS!!

THIS
SAVAGE-
RY THAT
FEELS
LIKE IT
CLINGS.





I
CAN'T
MOVE

THAT'S
BROKEN

IT
MOVE



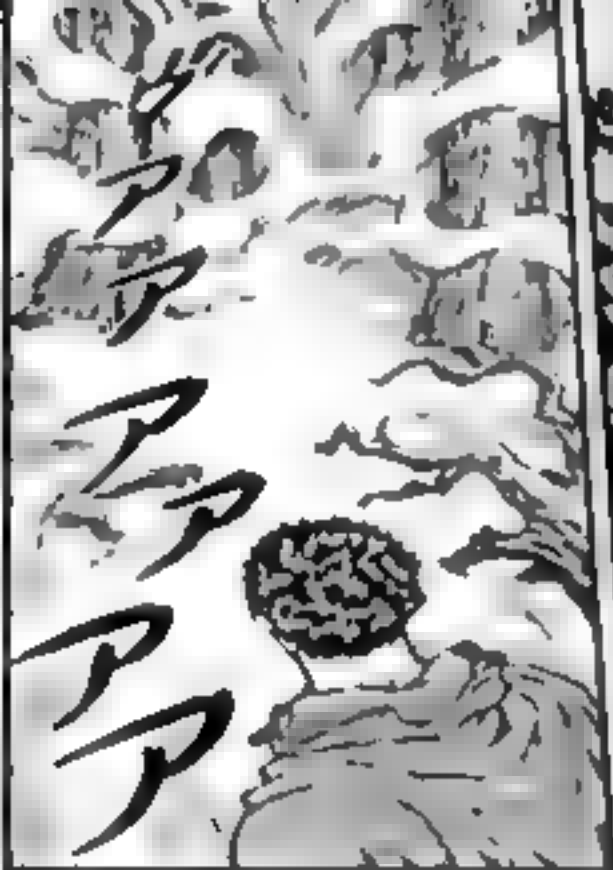
THAT
EASY?

I
COULDN'T
EVEN
REACT!!




IT
PLACED
ME










I'VE NEVER
KILLED AN ENEMY'S
PRESIDENT YET!
I COULD'VE SWORN
HE WAS TRYING TO
BRING ME DOWN ON ME!

I'M SURE
HE WAS
RIGHT
BEHIND
ME!!

IMPOSS-
IBLE !!




THE
WEIRD
LADYAL
FELT-ING !!


BUT
THIS

NO
IT'S
NOT

BOOTH



SO THE
GEARS HAVE
INDEED BEGUN
TURNING.



YOU,
STRUGGLER.

TAKE
WELL.

WHAT'S
THAT
MEANT?

GEARS
??



STRUG-
GLER?

**YOU AND YOUR
FRIENDS!! THOSE
YET UNSEEN OF THE
FLESHLESS FLESH!!
AND THAT UNKNOWNLY
HALF OF YOURS
SHALL ALL BE
DARKENED THEN
IN THAT
PLACE!!**

**ONE YEAR
HENCE SHALL
BE THE TIME
OF THE
ECLIPSE!!**

**IN YOURS!!
BY MADNESS,
A TEMPEST
OF DEATH FOR
WHICH THE
HUMAN BODY
COULD NEVER
ATONE.
SHALL SWEEP
OVER YOU!!**

**WHO IS
THIS?!**

**WHO WERE
DARKER TO
DEATH THAN
ANYTHING YOU
YOU WERE IN
ESCAPING
IT!!**

**YOU WERE BORN
FROM A CORPSE
AND BEGAN
YOUR LIFE FROM
DEATH
IN THE
MUD!!**

**BUT
TIME
NEED.
STRUG-
GLE!!**

WHO
THE
HELL
ARE
YOU?!

THAT ALONE
IS THE SWORD
OF ONE WHO
CONFRONTS
DEATH!!

STRUGGLE.
CONTEND.
WROGGLER!!

HOW DO
YOU KNOW
ABOUT
ME...?!

NEVER
FORGET
THIS!!

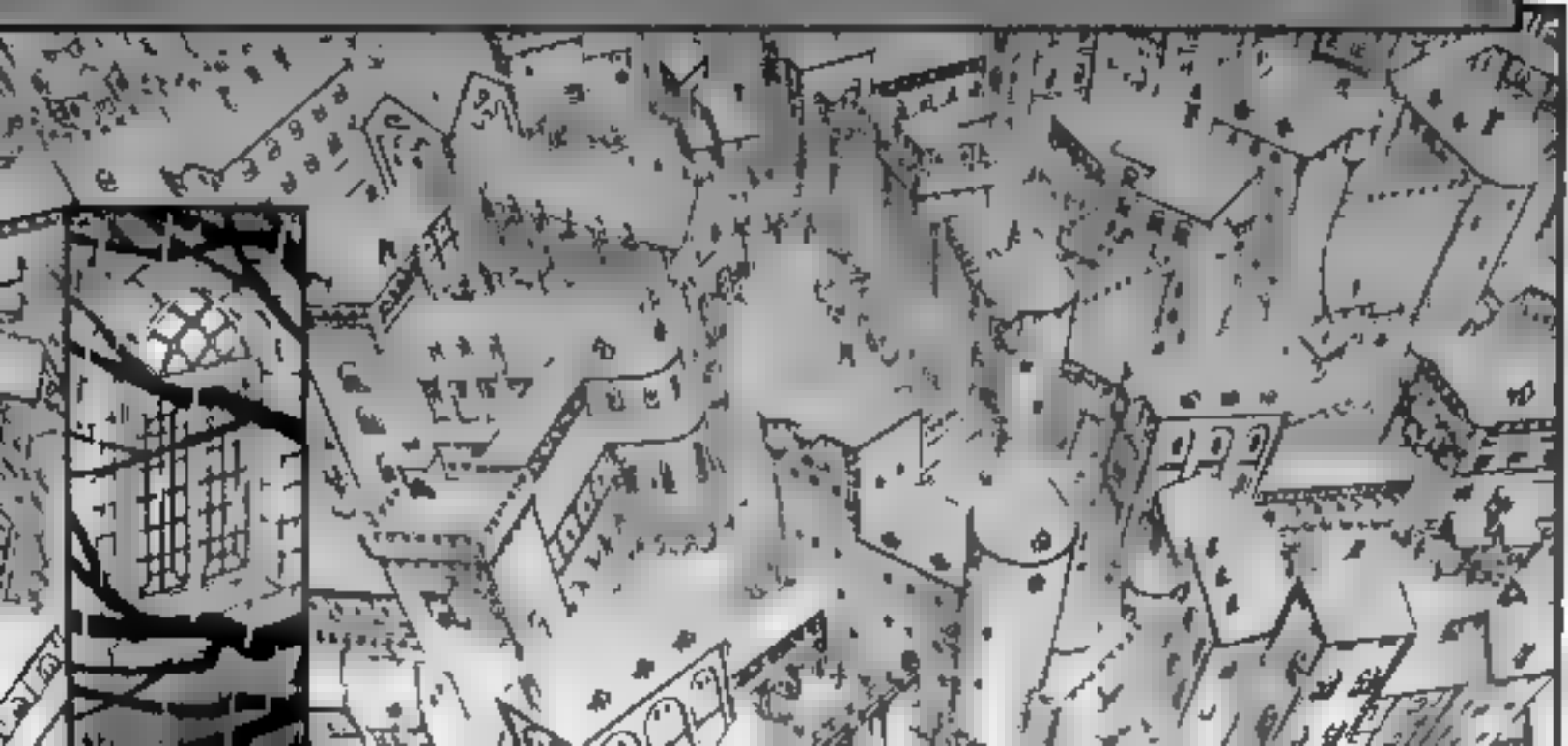
PER-
HAPS...

ONLY HE
WHO STANDS
UP WITH BROKEN
SWORD IN
HAND...

IN THE
MOUTH OF
GILFAN

W-WAIT
...!!

THE
KNIGHT
OF
SKELETON
...





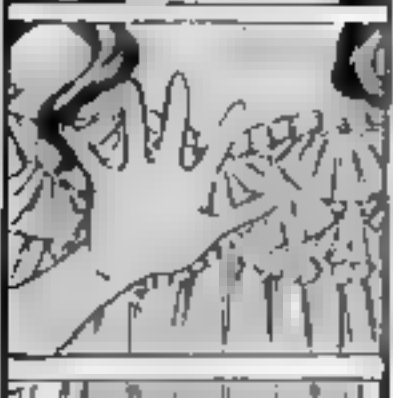
PLEASE
HURRY TO
BED, YOUR
HIGHNESS
YOU WILL
CATCH
COLD

NOW
THE SNOW
WILL
MELT.

YES,
YOU ARE
DISMISSED
FOR THE
DAY

HER
HIGHNESS
SEEMS
DEPRESSED

THAT
SHE
DOES



I'D BE
GLOOMY TOO
IF I LOST
THREE
RELATIVES
IN A ROW

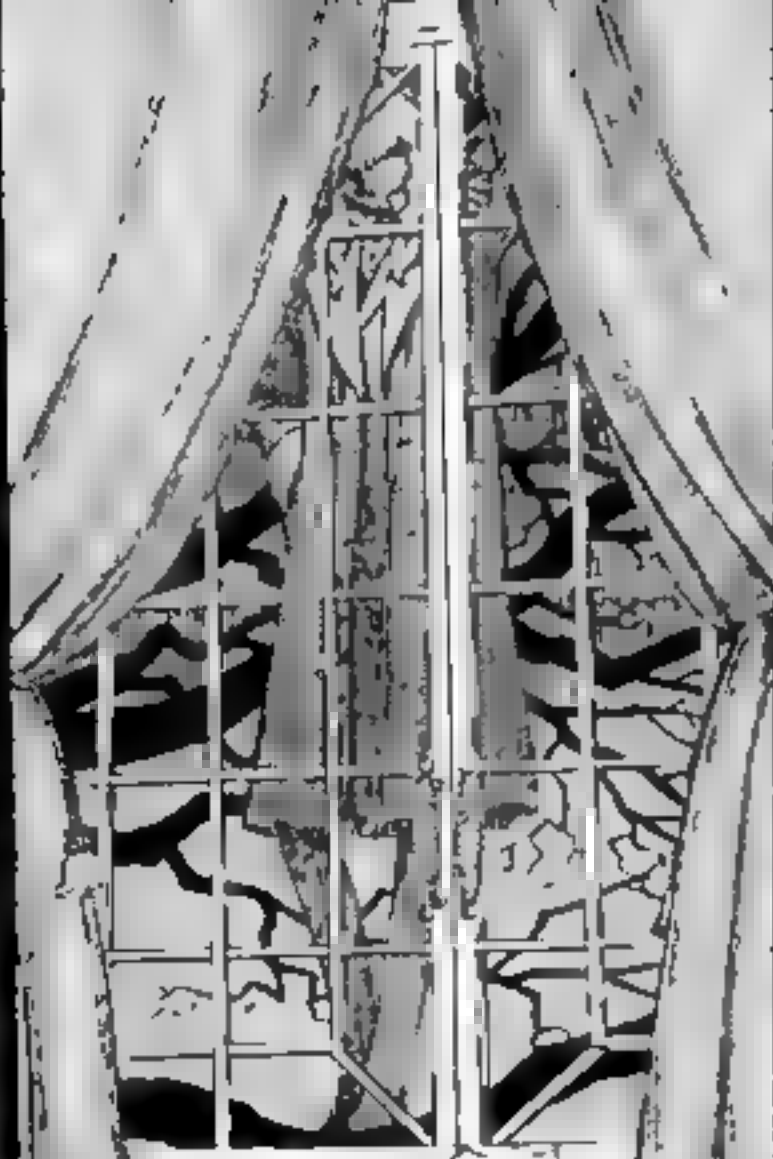
LORD JULIUS,
LORD ADONIS,
AND EVEN HER
MAJESTY THE
QUEEN HAVE
ALL DIED IN
SUCCESSION.



DON'T BE
FOOLISH.

BUT LORD JULIUS
AND LORD ADONIS
ASIDE HER HIGH-
NESS DISLIKED
HER MAJESTY
SO MUCH.

SO
MUCH
THE
MORE
BECAUSE
THEY
WERE,
AFTER
ALL,
PARENT
AND
CHILD



WH-WHAT
IN THE
WORLD ARE
YOU DOING? LORD
IN THE RAIN... GRIFFITH?
AND AT THIS
MOMENT?

IT-IT-
IT-IT'S
NOTHING!!
GO, GO!!

IS
SOME-
THING
THE
MAT-
TER?

GOOD
EVENING,
PRINCESS
CHARLOTTE



YOUR PARDON.



IF SOMEONE WERE TO SEE ME NOW, IT WOULD INFLICT DAMAGE UPON YOUR HONOR

THEREFORE, IF HER HIGHNESS DOESN'T OBJECT WOULD SHE PERMIT ME TO ENTER HER ROOM?



IF ANYONE WERE TO SEE YOU !!

IT WOULD CAUSE A TERRIBLE UPROAR IF IT WERE KNOWN THAT A GENTLEMAN HAD ENTERED THE PALACE ALONE THIS LATE !!



EH.
YES.

OF COURSE, COME IN.

BESIDES, IT'S RATHER DIFFICULT TO KEEP ONE'S BALANCE OUT HERE.



FOR DRIPPING SO MUCH WATER INTO A LADY'S CHAMBERS

FORGIVE ME



AND FOR MY IMPOLITENESS IN VISITING SO LATE.

I'D WAKE UP SO MANY
TIMES BREATHLESS FROM
NIGHTMARES... THAT YOU
HAD DIED ON THE
BATTLEFIELD..

I'VE
BEEN SO
SO SCARED
EVER SINCE
THAT DAY
YOU LEFT...



I'VE
MISSED
YOU.

SINCE
THAT
DAY

HALF
A YEAR
AGO.

EVER
SINCE WE
PARTED THAT
MORNING YOU
WENT TO
WAR



NOTHING BUT
FRIGHTENING
AND SAD
THINGS HAVE
HAPPENED

I'VE
BEEN
SO
ALONE

WHY



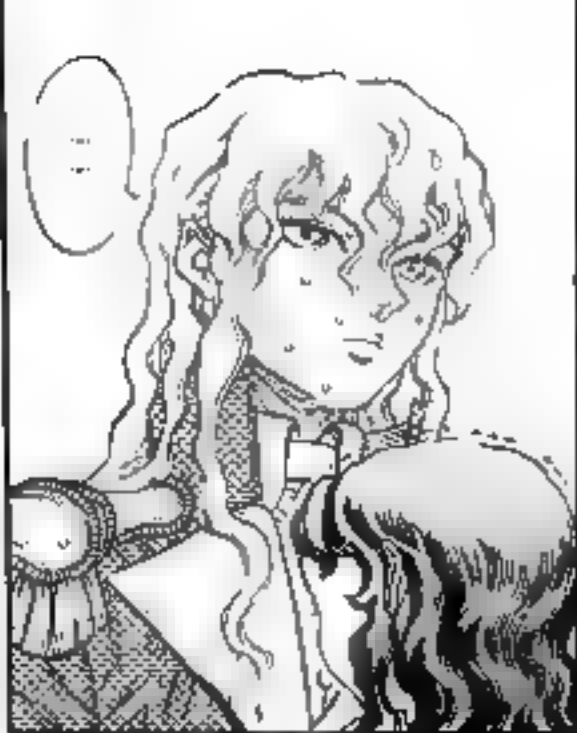
WHY
DIDN'T
YOU
COME.
COME TO
SEE ME
SOONER
THAN
THIS?!



I PASSED OUT
WHEN I WOKE UP,
THEN IT WAS
MY STEPMOTHER
WHO...I NEVER DID
MANAGE TO COME TO
TERMS WITH HER...!!
I DIDN'T EVEN TRY!!

AND THEN
ONCE YOU
CAME BACK
SAFELY, THAT
DREADFUL THING
HAPPENED AT
THE VICTORY
BALL.



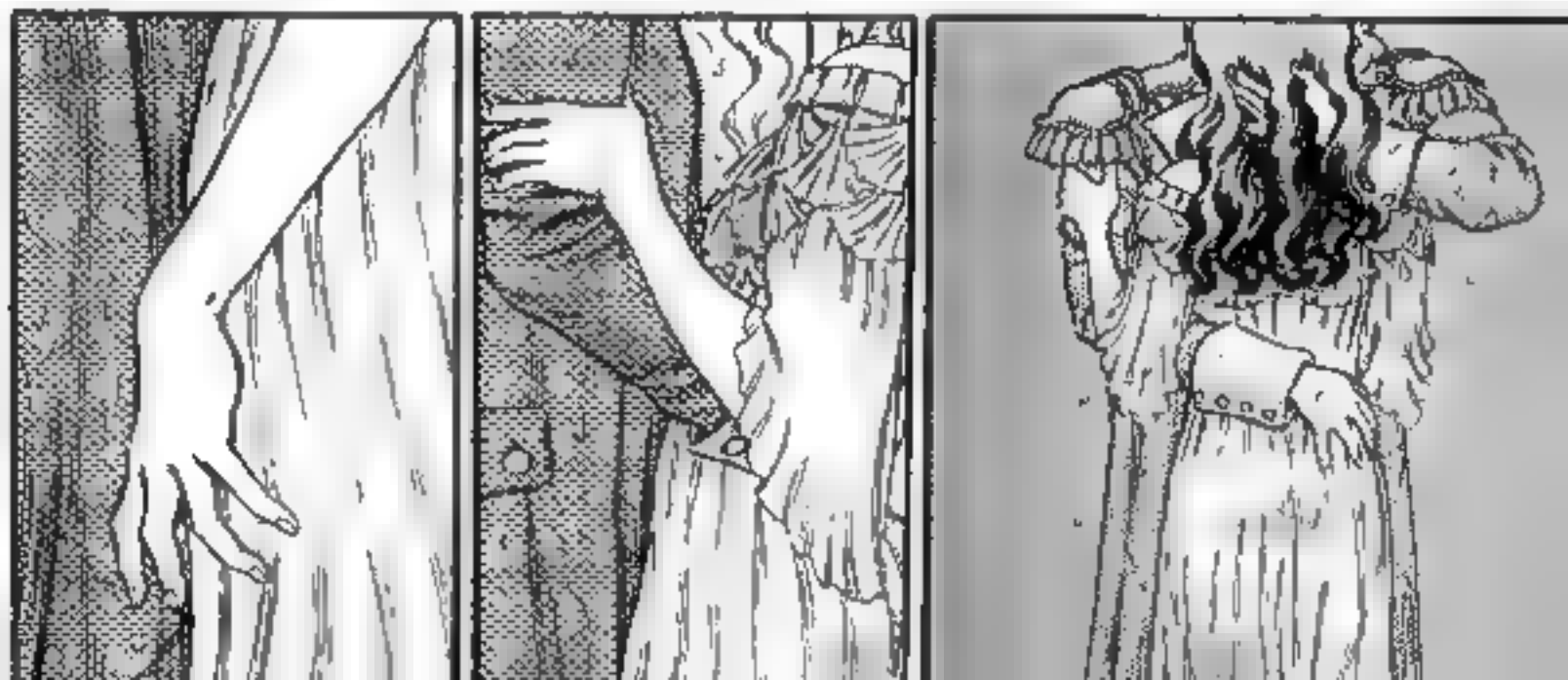


KNIGHT OF SKELETON: END

START
OF THE
EVER-
LASTING
NIGHT

ヘルセルク

果てしなき夜の始まり









ARE YOU
AFRAID?



TAKE
ALL THE
FRIGHTENING
AND SAD
THINGS...



...AND
CAST
THEM
INTO THE
FIRE.





IT
SLIDE IS
SLAPSTICK

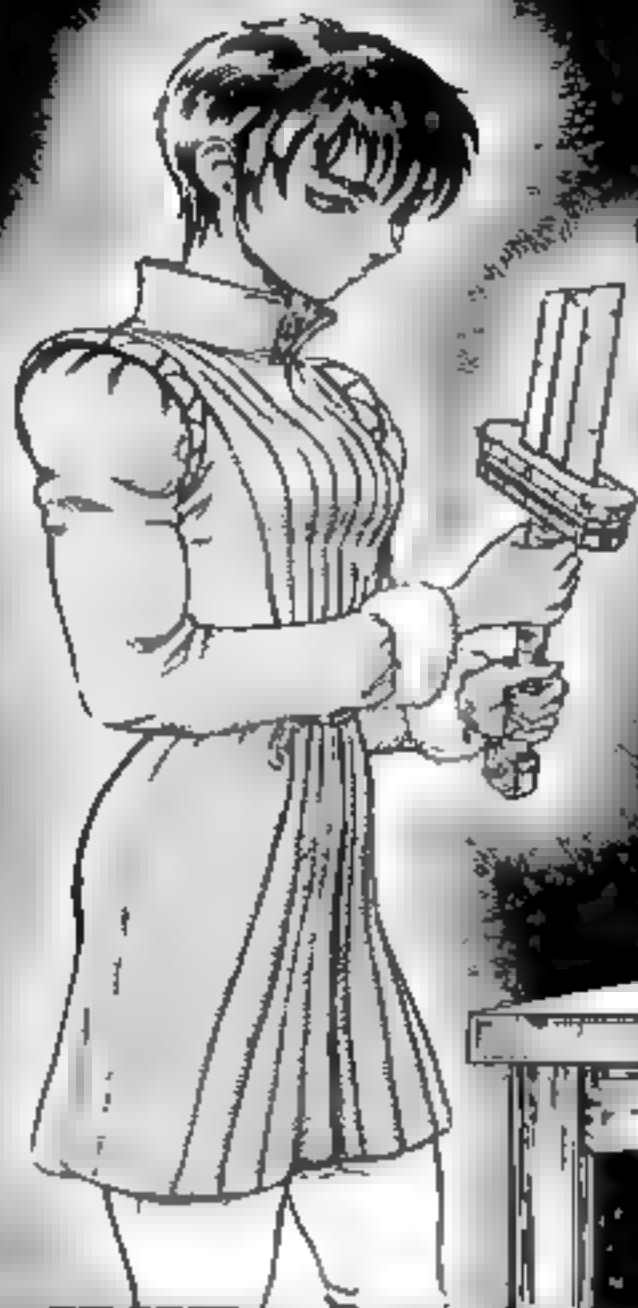


HAVE
YOU GUYS
SEEN
GROFFMAN?

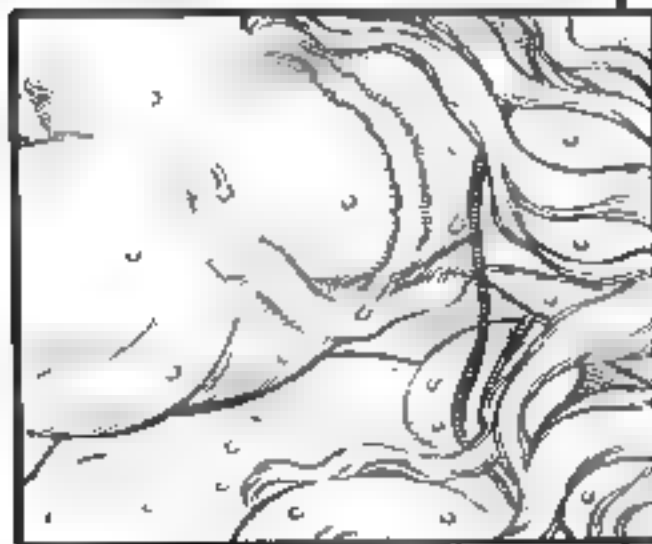
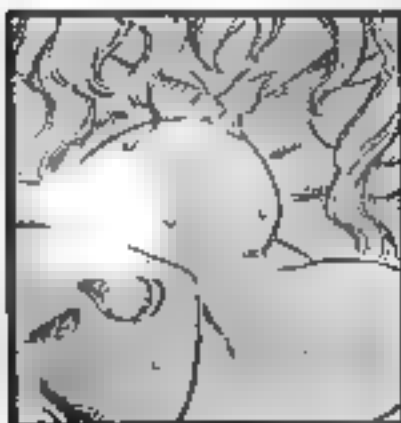


NEVER I
HAVEN'T
SEEN HIM
SINCE
WHAT
HAPPENED
TUESDAY





キコ...

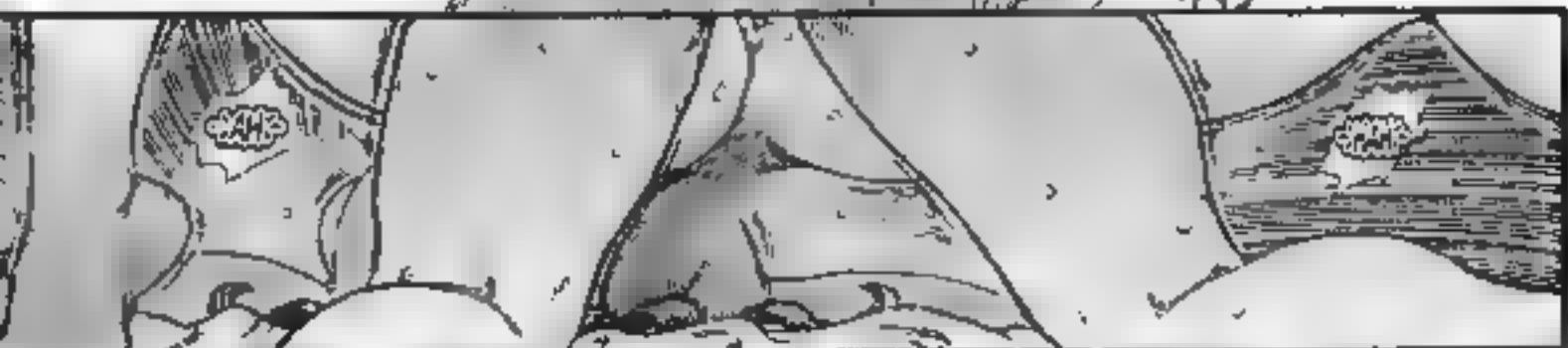


YOU
BELIEVE
THAT,
DON'T
YOU?

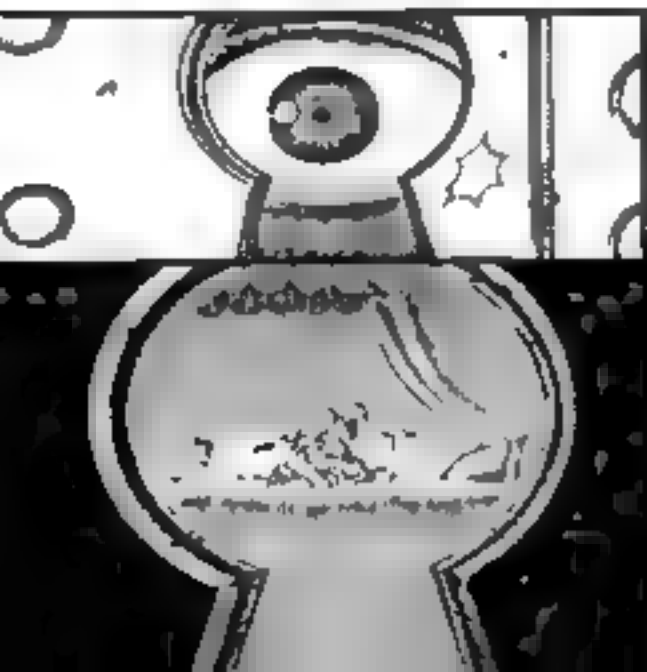




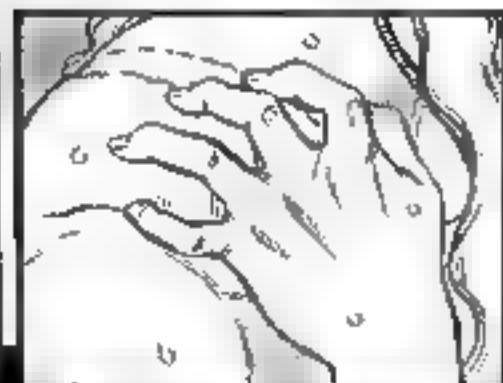
TAKE
CARE.

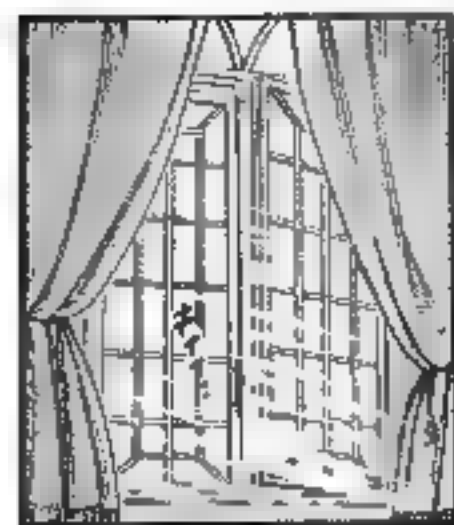
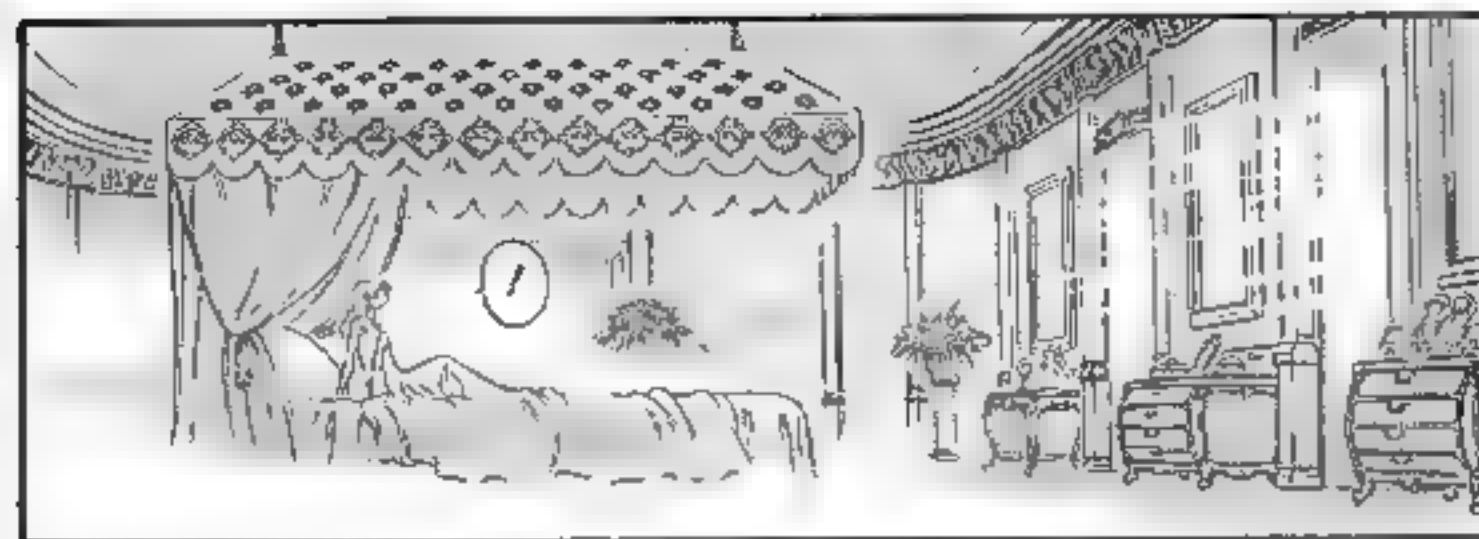


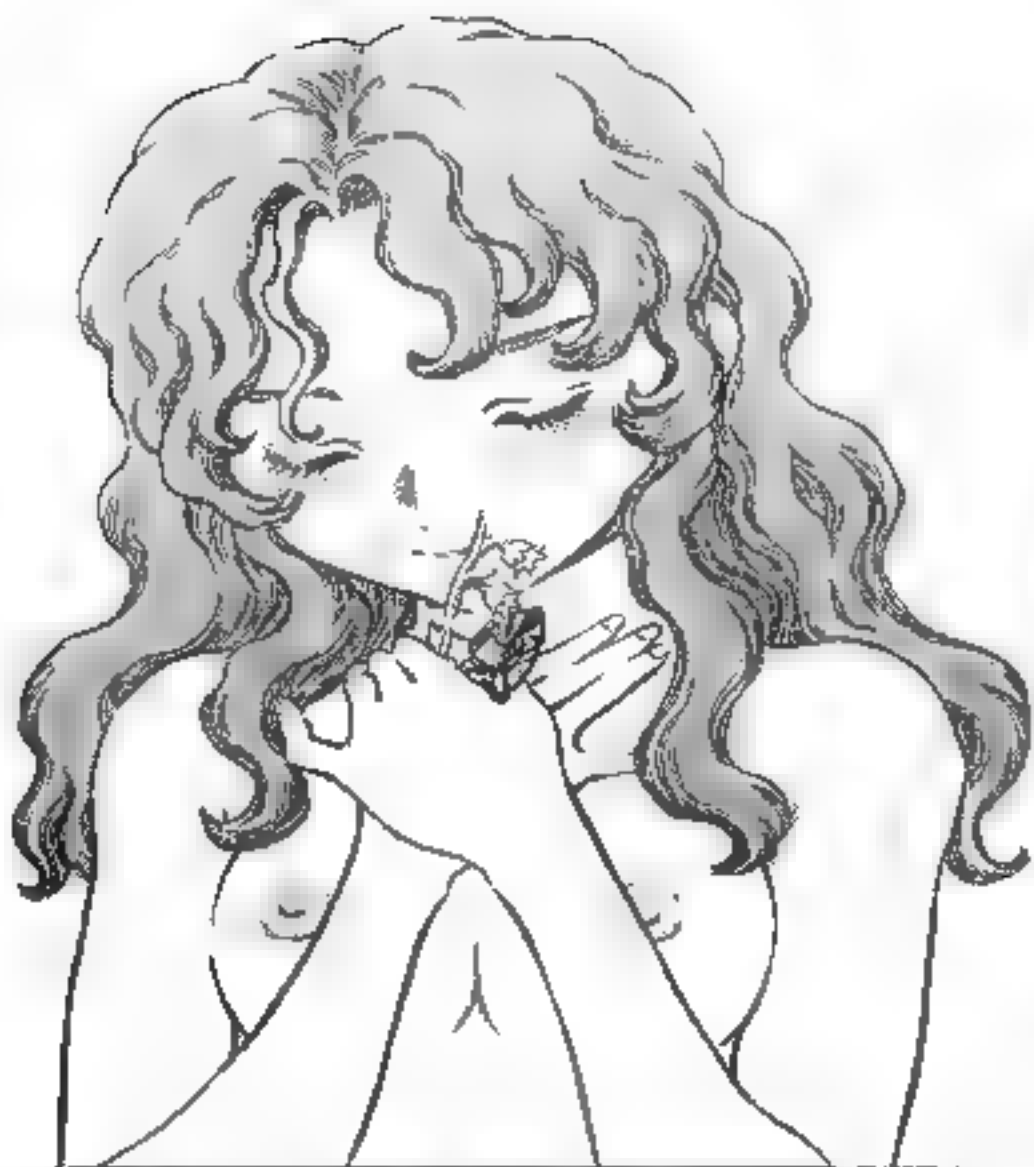


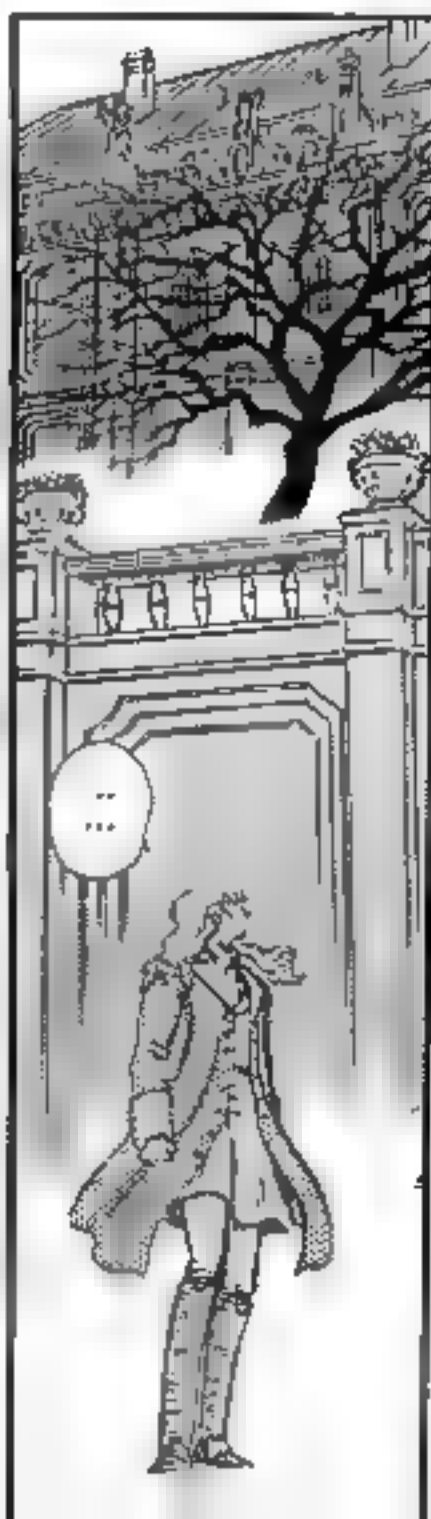
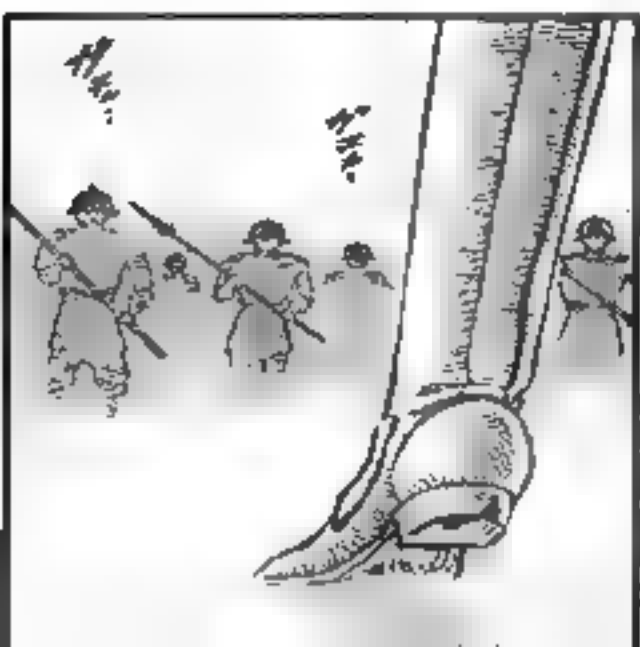




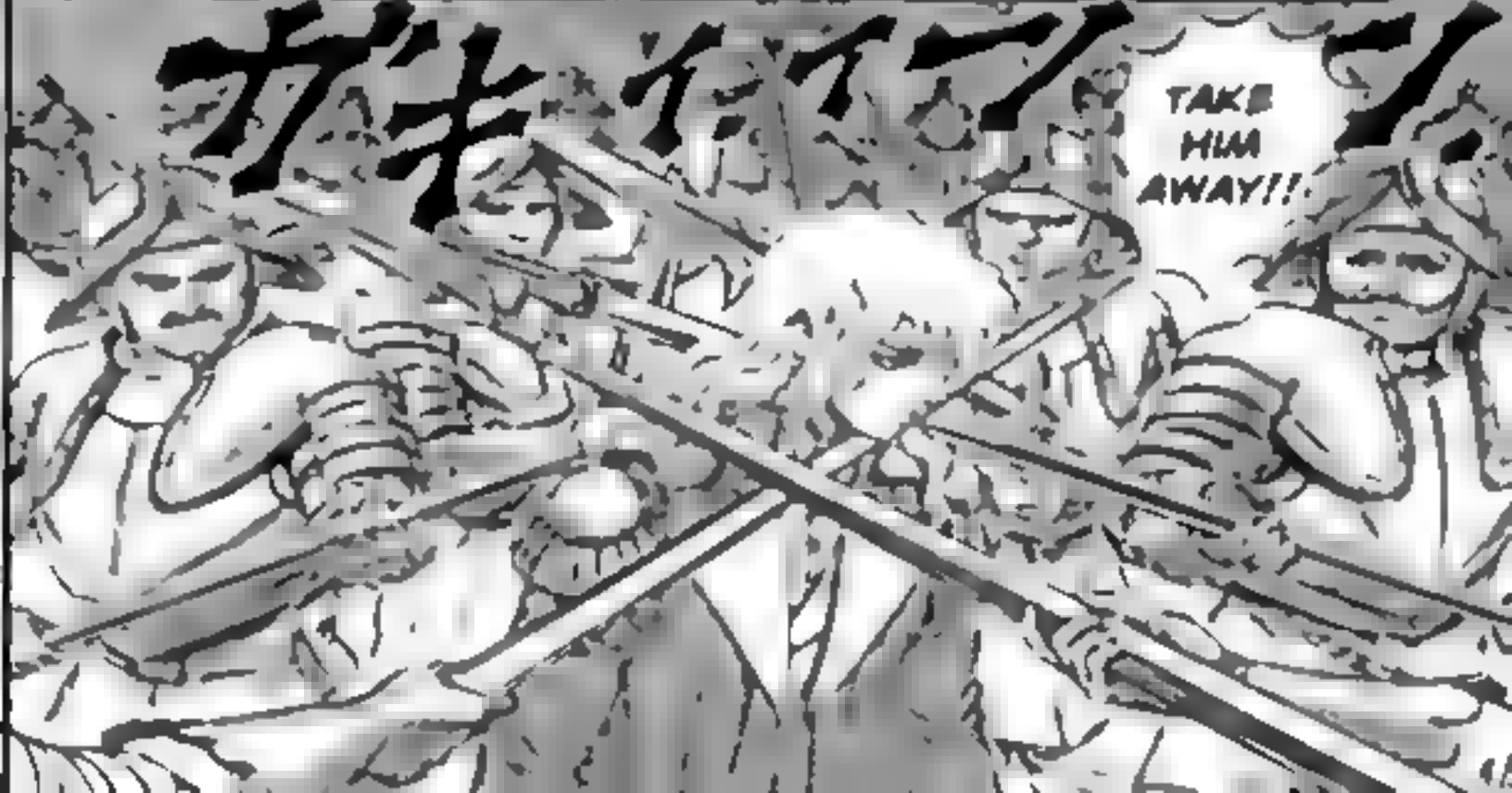
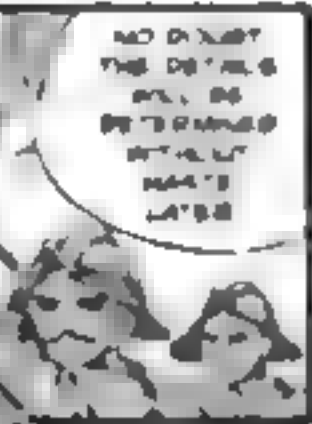












ORDERED
OUT OF THE
PALACE
AT THE
MOMENT

WHY ON
EARTH
IS THE
GUARD
HERE

WELL, WELL...
IF IT HADN'T
BEEN ONLY
THE FUTURE
GUARD
WAS HERE

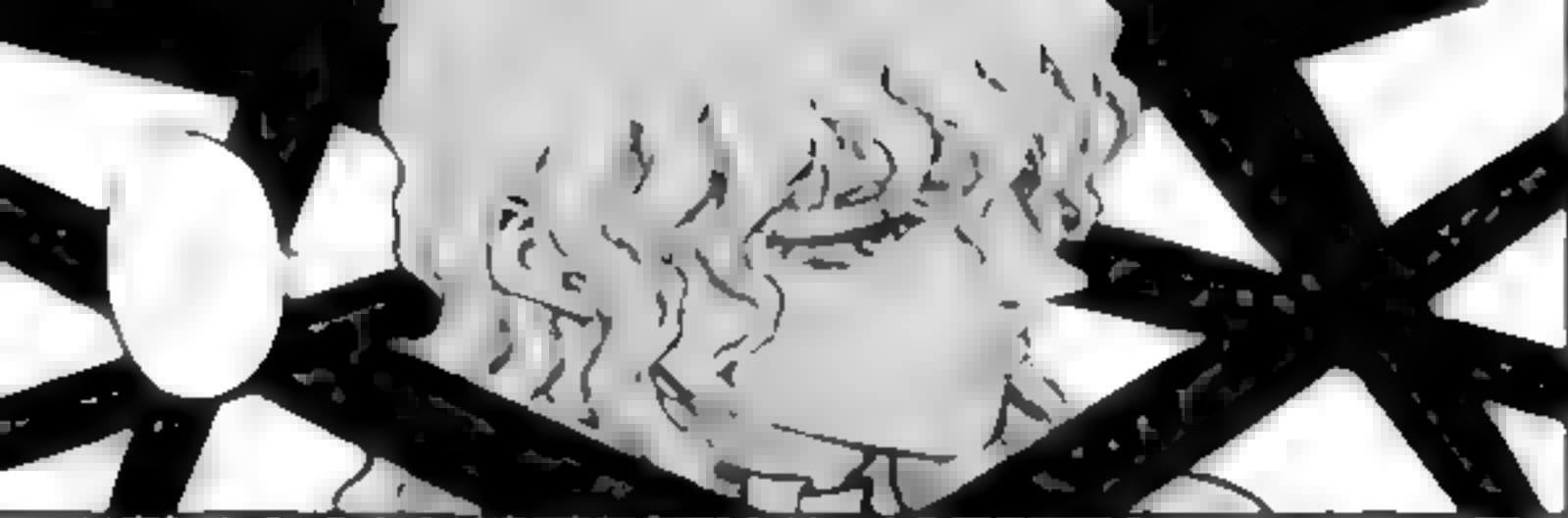
GUARD
OF
THE
GUARD

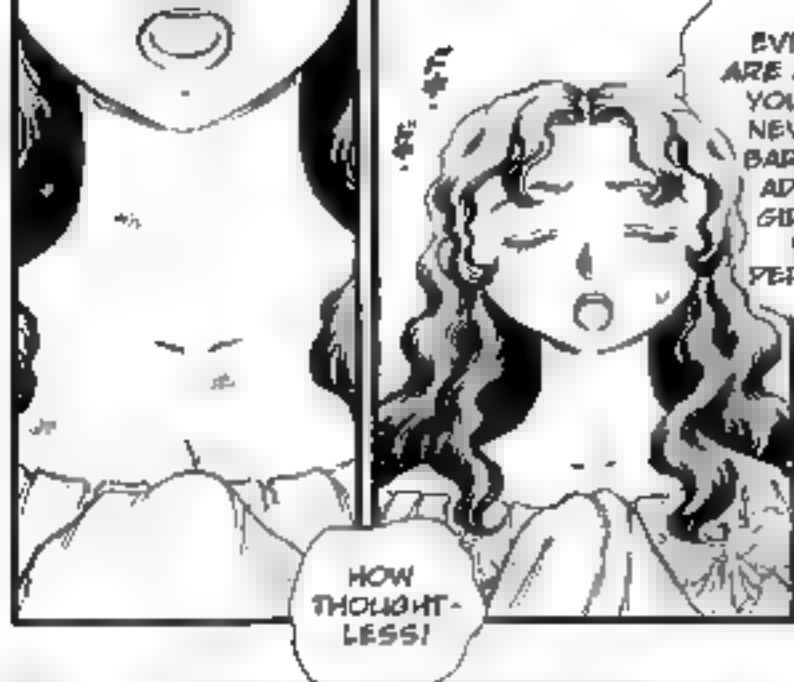
GUARDIAN OF THE
PEACE WILL
BE THE GUARDIAN
OF THE GUARDIAN
OF THE GUARDIAN
OF THE GUARDIAN

NO DOUBT
THE GUARDIAN
WILL BE
GUARDIAN
OF THE GUARDIAN
OF THE GUARDIAN

ガキイテン

TAKE
HIM
AWAY!!

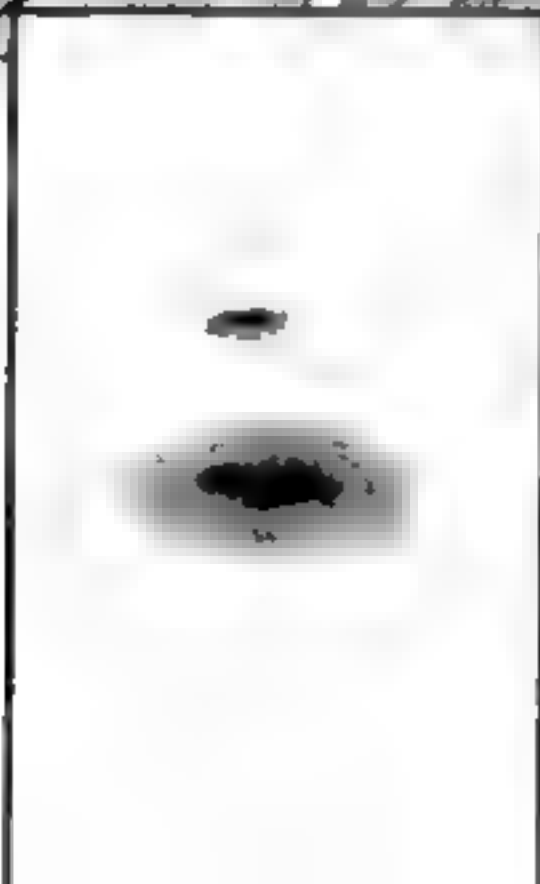




EVEN IF YOU ARE MY FATHER, YOU SHOULD NEVER JUST BARGE INTO AN ADOLESCENT GIRL'S ROOM WITHOUT PERMISSION.

WH-
WHATEVER IS THE MATTER?
COMING HERE SO EARLY...







START OF THE EVERLASTING NIGHT: END



カゲキョウ

THE
FALLEN
HAWK

陸奥 飛鷹



GRIFFITH...



THOSE
WORDS I
SAID TO
YOU THEN,
WERE NO
FICTION.

IT HAD BEEN MY
GREAT HOPE THAT
SOMEDAY YOU WOULD
HAVE SHOULDERED
A LARGE PART OF
MIDLAND'S ARMY
AS A MILITARY
GENIUS.

BUT THAT
THE STRESS
SHOULD
INSTEAD BE
PLACED ON HIS
ACTIONS AND
USE OF RE-
SOURCES.

FOR SOME TIME
I'VE HELD THAT
A KNIGHT'S
MERT IS NOT
DERIVED FROM
LINEAGE OR
SOCIAL
POSITION

THERE WERE
NOT A FEW WHO
SLANDERED
YOUR GROUP
AS A BAND OF
THIEVES, BUT
I DIDN'T
THINK SO.

EACH TIME
THE BAND
OF THE HAWK
DISTINGUISHED
ITSELF ON THE
BATTLEFIELD,
IT HEIGHTENED
MY ASSERTION.





HOW
EVER

ARE YOUR
COMMON
PLACES
NOT GOOD
ENOUGH??

A THIEF
IS STILL
A THIEF!!



.. BEHAVES WITH THE
RASHNESS OF SOME
TOWNSGIRL. HER
FRIVOLITY IS
EXCESSIVE..

THE PRIN-
CESS
OF A KING-
DOM

MY
FOOLISH
DAUGHTER

..FOOLISH
FRIVOLOUS
GIRL..

EVEN
THAT...

BUT
EVEN
SO.

IT'S AS IF
SHE DOESN'T
UNDERSTAND
WHAT IT MEANS
TO BE OF
HER STATUS--
THE IMPORTANCE
OF THE
SUCCESSION
OF ROYAL
BLOOD

I
WOULD GIVE
MYSELF
EVEN THIS
KINGDOM IN
EXCHANGE
FOR HER!!

.. IS
EVERY-
THING
TO
ME...!!

SHE'S
MY
WHOLE
LIFE!!

AFTER HOW MANY
DECADES OF WAR
AND HOW MANY
TENS OF THOUSANDS
OF CASUALTIES
WE'VE FINALLY
BUILT A TIME
OF UNARMED
PEACE BUT IT'S
ONLY FOR AN
INSTANT!!

WAR'S RAGE
ON AND THE
PEOPLE'S LIVES
ARE LOST LIKE
THEY WERE
INSECTS!!

WHAT
VALUE IS
THERE
IN THIS
WORLD?!

ON THE
JACKBOOTS
THE MONSTER
NAMED WAR
HE ALWAYS
SEES
NEW BLOOD
STARTING TO
DRINK ITSELF
AND

BLOOD-
STAINED
LEGS
WIELD

IN
THIS

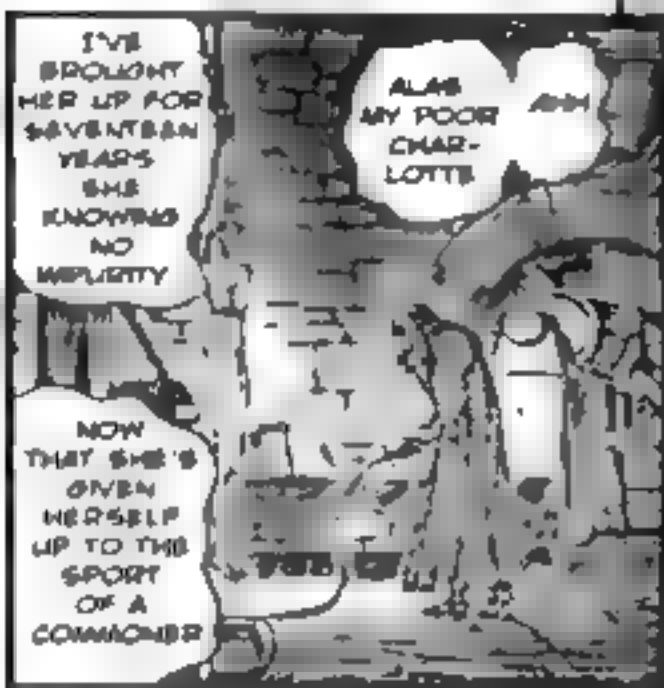
IF THERE
IS ONE
SMALL SLIVER
OF HOPE
TO BE
FOUND

THE
WILLING
OF THE
MAN IS
FOLLY!!

IN THE
FACE OF
THE
MONSTER,
THE WILL OF
ONE MAN'S
END IS
POWER-
LESS!!

AND YET
I CANNOT
CEASE
BEING
HUMAN!!

THERE'S
NO WAY
I CAN
STOP!!



I'VE BROUGHT HER UP FOR SEVENTEEN YEARS SHE KNOWS NO IMPURITY

ALAS MY POOR CHARLOTTE

NOW THAT SHE'S GIVEN HERSELF UP TO THE SPORT OF A COMMONER



RATHER THAT

I'D RATHER

AND FLIPPED IT!
226000-570000



YOU'VE TAKEN THE ONE FLOWER THAT GIVES ME THAT WARMTH.

WOULD
HAVE
HAD
HER
YOUR-
SELF?

TO HAVE
BEEN WITH
PRINCESS
CHAR-
LOTTE

NO



RATHER

THAT
YOU



WANT
HER
TO
HAVE
YOU?

DON'T
YOU



HE ACTUALLY
MARRIED AN OLD
MAN, A LOT OLDER
AND SHE WAS
FINDING IT HARD
TO BE BEHIND
HIS BACK. SHE
WAS ONLY
A YOUNG
GIRL.

THE GREAT
KING OF THE
ISLAND
WAS
REMARKED
WITH AN OLD
THUNDERBOLT
ALL NIGHT

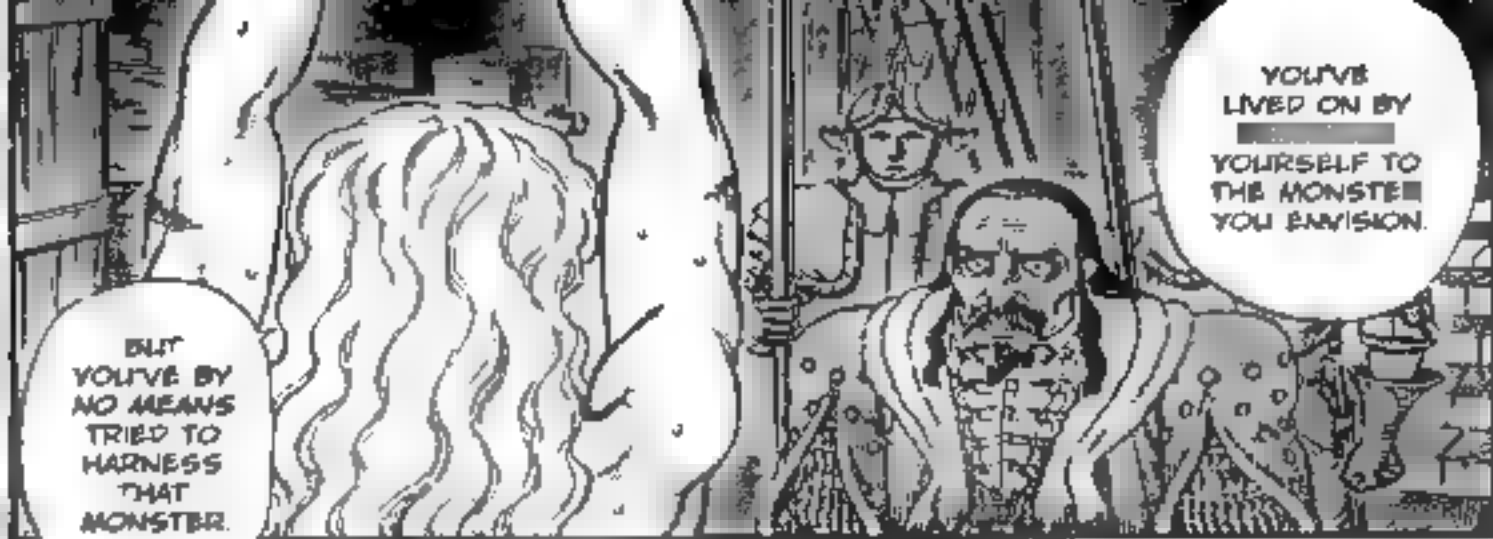
RATHER
THE LADY
MARRIAGE IS
THE WAY OF
THE WORLD
FOR WAITING
SOMEONE
BUT YOU
REFUSED TO
LET GO OF HER

IN PRINCESS
MARRIAGE
SHE WAS
A LOT OLDER
THAN THE
KING. SHE
WAS ONLY
A YOUNG
GIRL.

WHAT
WHAT
ARE
YOU--??


I HAD
THOUGHT
IT WAS
STRANGE





BUT
YOU'VE BY
NO MEANS
TRIED TO
HARNESS
THAT
MONSTER.

YOU'VE
LIVED ON BY
YOURSELF TO
THE MONSTER
YOU ENVISION.



YOU'VE
DONE
NOTHING
MORE THAN
NOT FAIL.

HOW
DARE
YOU!

IT WAS
NOTHING
MORE THAN
A BURDEN
TO YOU.

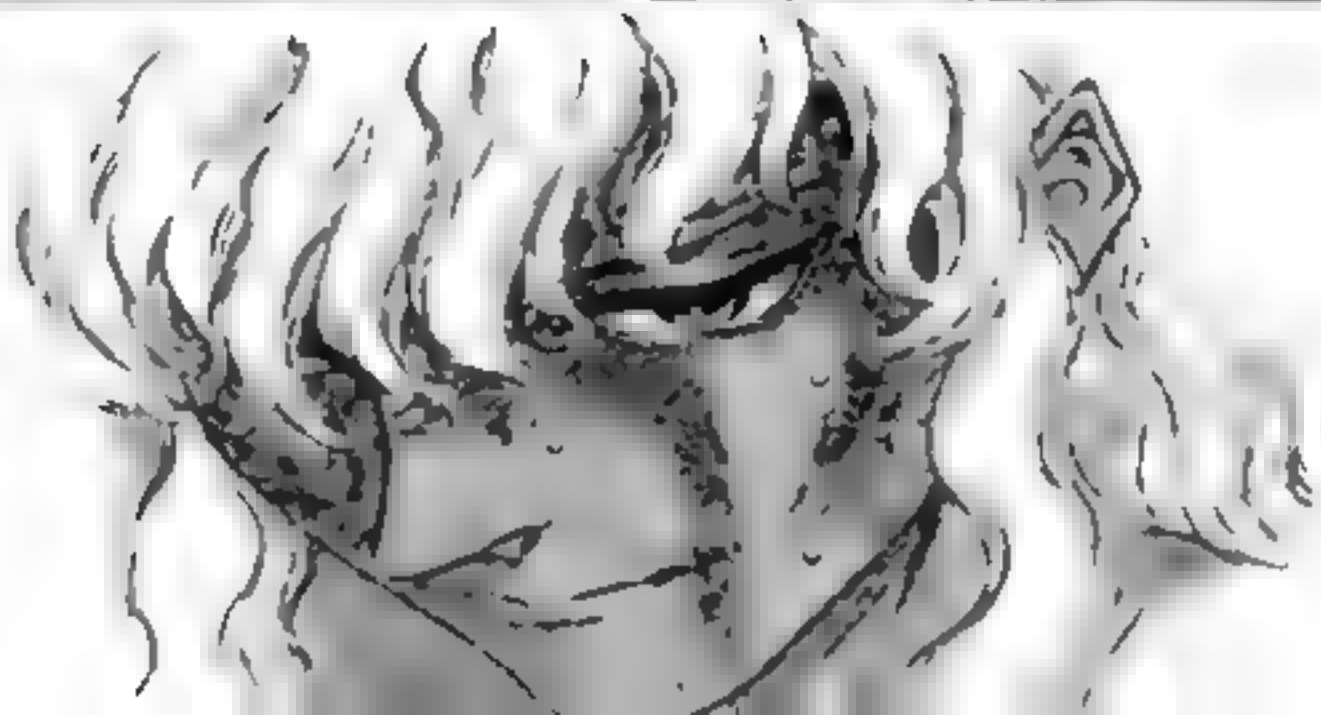
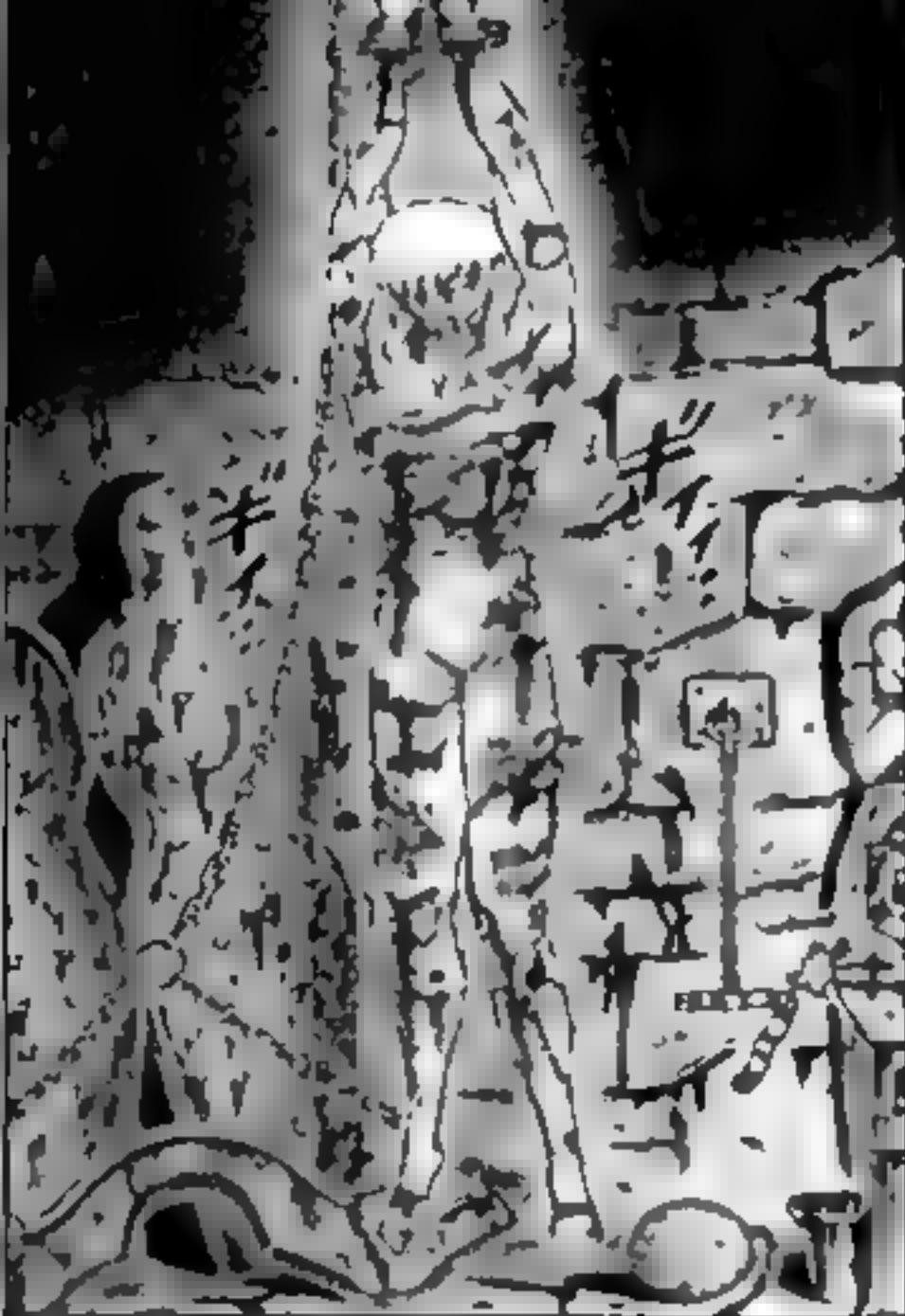
WHILE
YOU WERE
BORN TO
THE SWORD
CALLED THE
THRONE AND
HELD IT ..

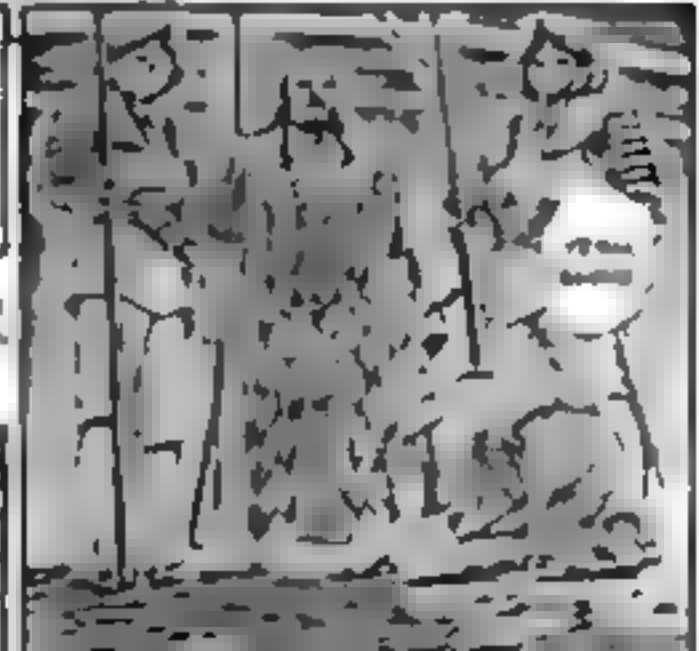


SILENCE!

HOW
WORTH-
LESS...





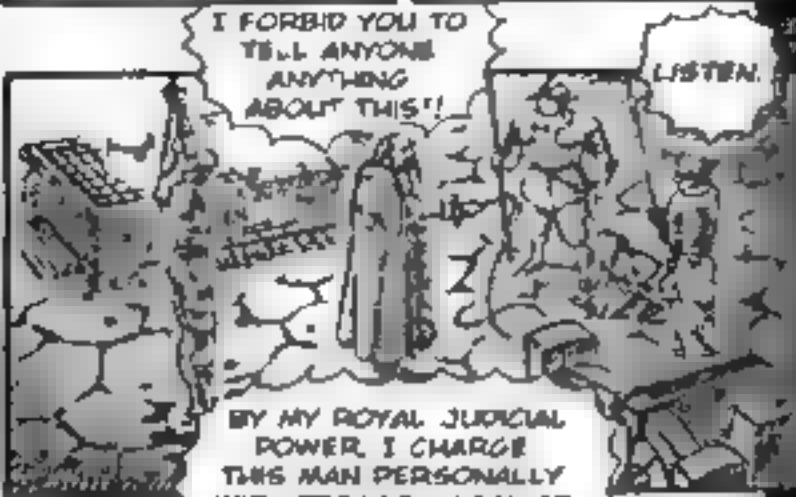




HEE
OO-
HEE



OO-
HE-
HEH



I FORBID YOU TO
TELL ANYONE
ANYTHING
ABOUT THIS!!

LISTEN.

BY MY ROYAL JUDICIAL
POWER, I CHARGE
THIS MAN PERSONALLY
WITH TREASON AGAINST
MIDLAND'S ROYAL HOUSE!!



SOMEHOW
PROTECT
MY
DAUGHTER'S
DIGNITY

I MUST



WE SHALL BE
MADE TO BEE THE
GRAVITY OF HIS
CRIME WHILE HE
YET DRAWS
BREATH.



YES
SIRE



THEY AND
THEIR ENTIRE
HOUSEHOLD,
WITHOUT
EXCEPTION,
WILL BE
SENTENCED
TO DEATH.

IF I
WERE
TO HEAR
ABOUT
THIS
FROM
ANYONE
ELSE,
EVEN
JUST A
TRIFLE

IT WILL
NEVER
TAKE
FLIGHT
AGAIN.

NO,
THIS
MUST
HAVE
BEEN
BECAUSE
YOU'RE
YOUNG .

IF YOU
HAD BUT
KNOWN
YOUR PLACE,
YOU MIGHT
POSSIBLY HAVE
ATTAINED
THEAL

WOULD
DESTROY
HIMSELF
OVER SUCH A
WORTHLESS
MATTER.
I NEVER
WOULD HAVE
GUESSED.

THE
HAWK
HAS
FALLEN
TO
EARTH

.. OF
YOUR
DREAMS

THIS
IS THE
END.

YOUR AMBITION

EVERY-
THING

ガッパッパッ

UNTIL I SAY
OTHERWISE,
NO ONE IS
TO COME
NEAR THIS
ROOM.

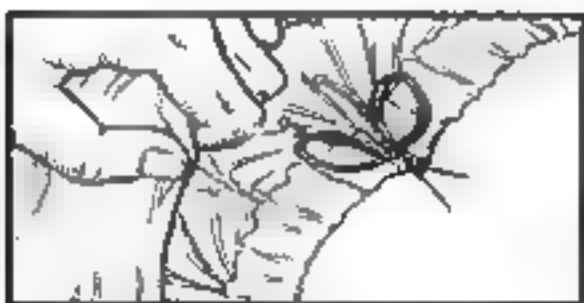
AND
TRIPLE
THE
CURRENT
NUMBER OF
PALACE
GUARDS.

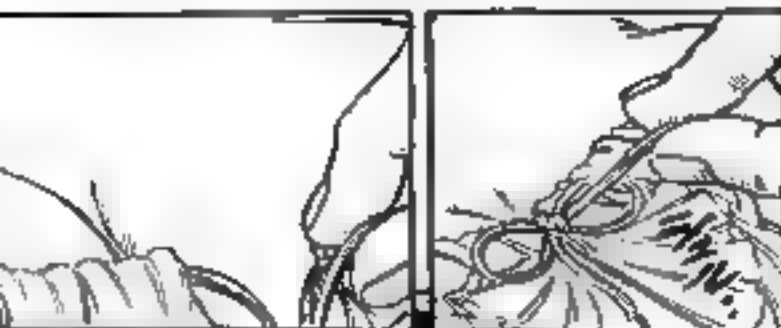
WHERE
IS
CHAR-
LOTT?

UNTIL A BIT
AGO SHE HAD
BEEN CRYING,
BUT THE
DOCTOR GAVE
HER MEDICINE
AND SHE JUST
FELL ASLEEP













...YES.

THIS
IS...

WORTH-
LESS.

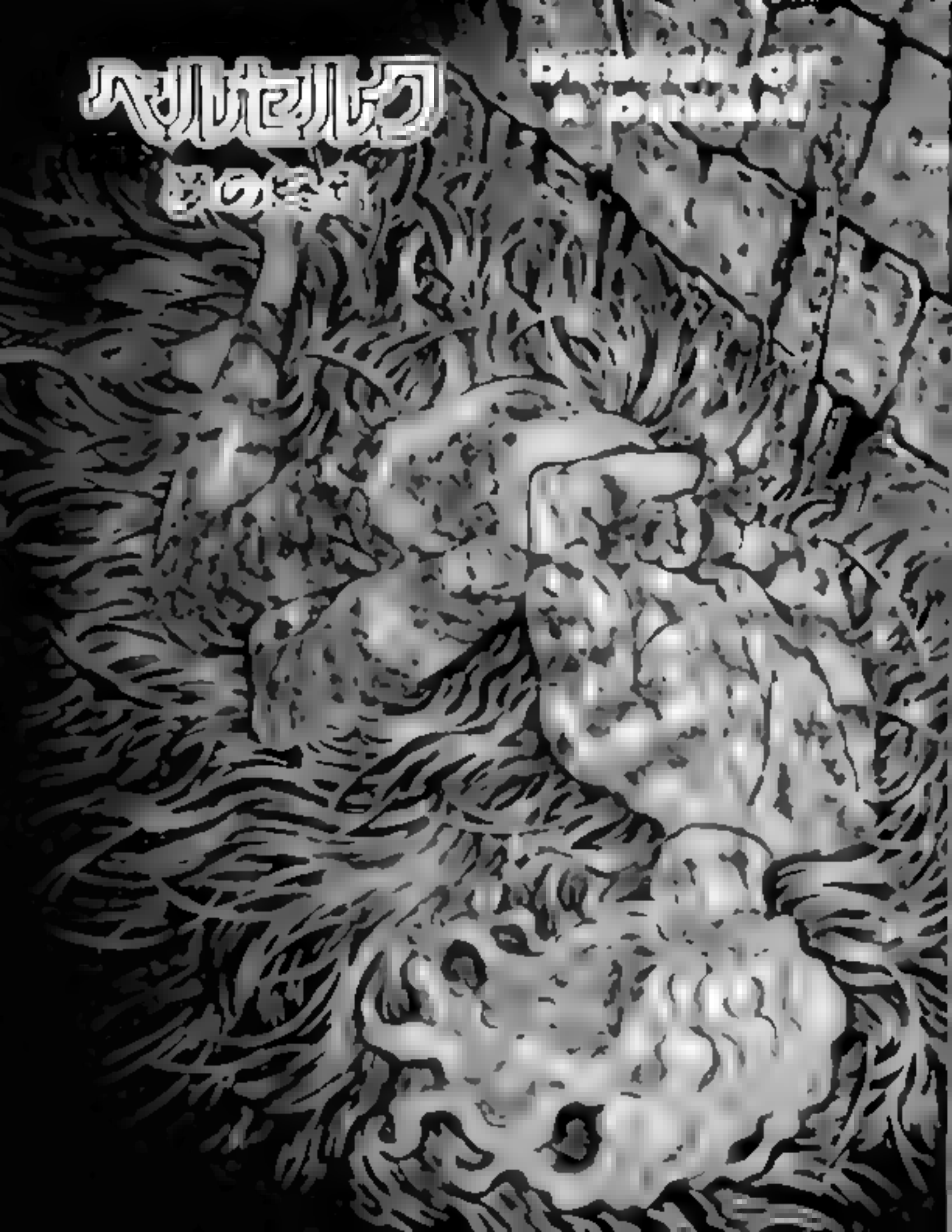
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LESS.

THE FALLEN HAWK'S END

八咫鏡

天照大神

天照大神

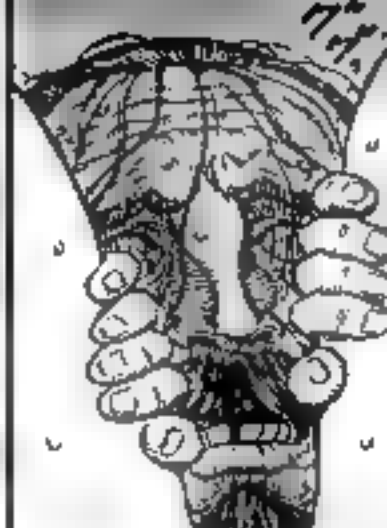


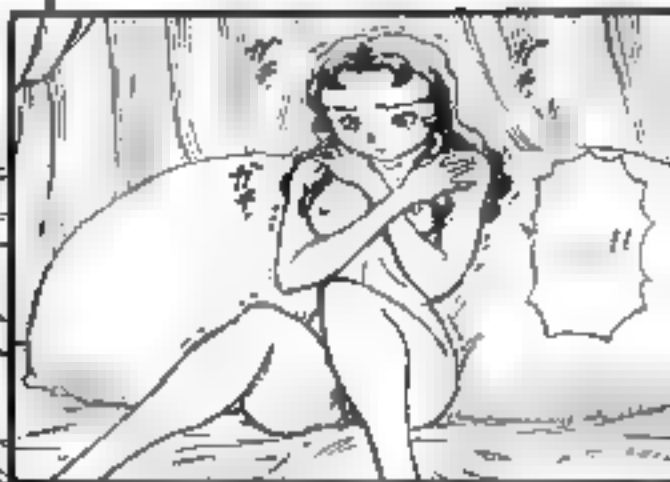
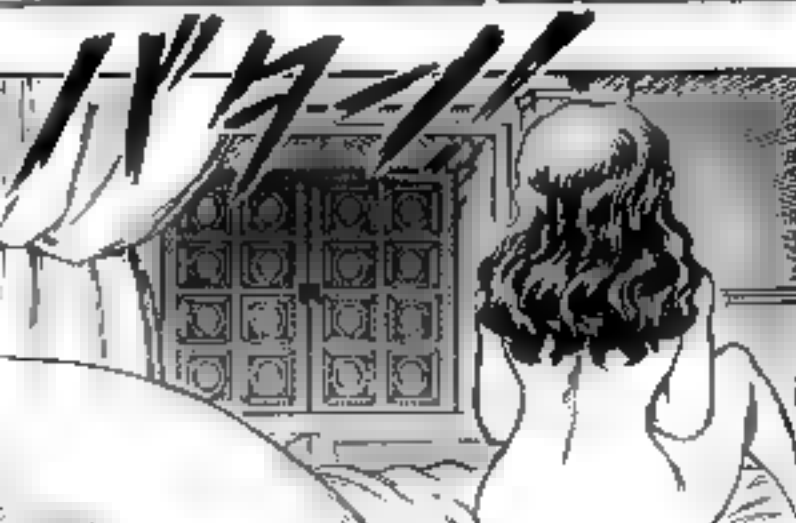






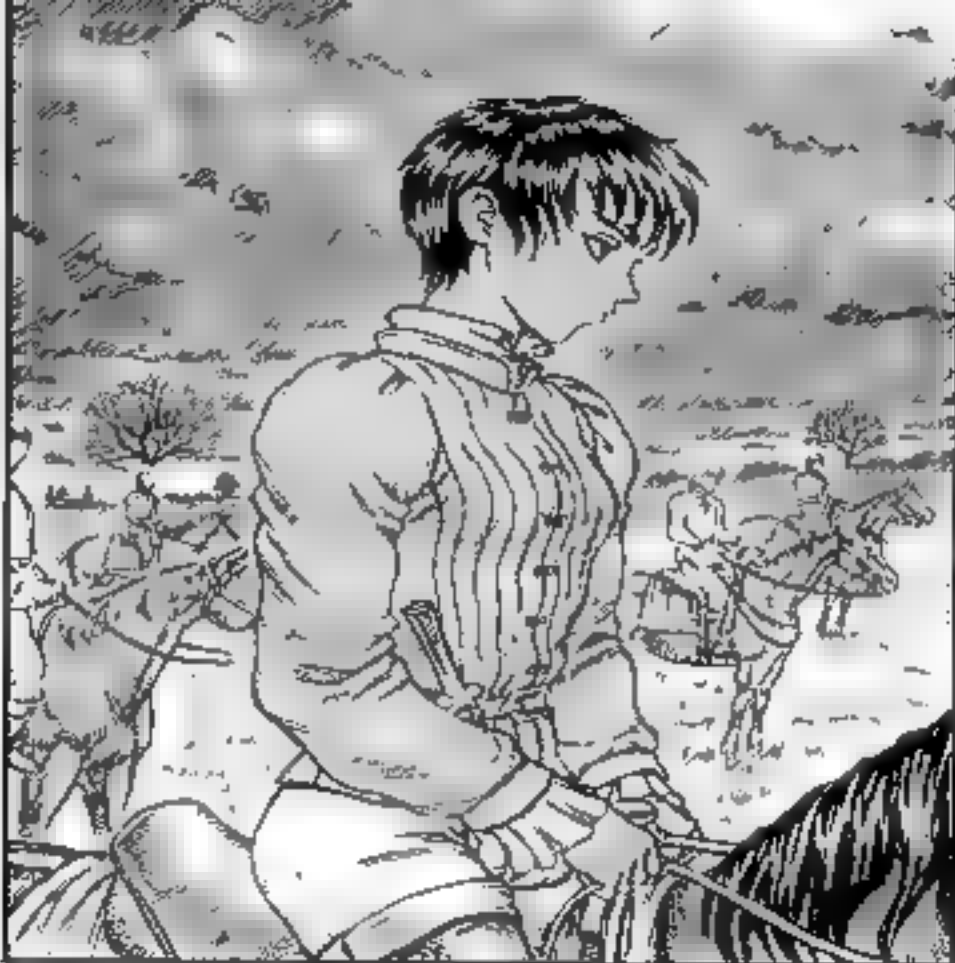














**EVERY-
ONE
TAKE
COVER
!!!**



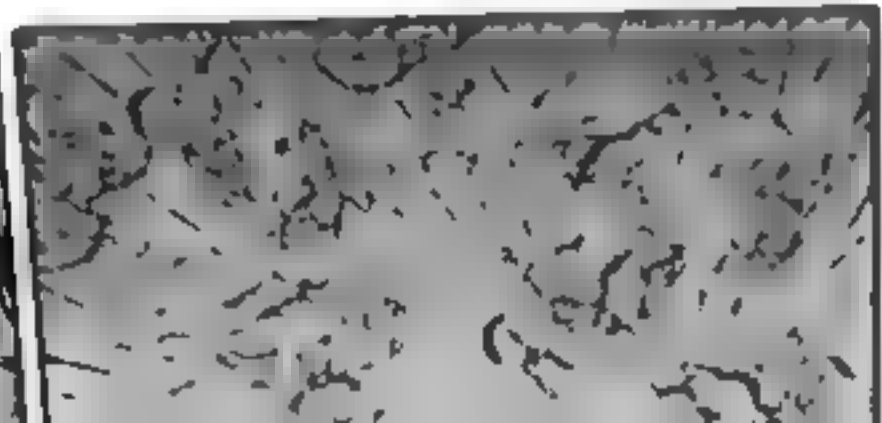
**GEH!!
PIPPIN
SHOUTED
?!**

?!

**!!
!!
!!**















WHY
?!

GET
INTO
WEDGES
FOR-
MATION!!

IF WE
SCATTER
AND RUN
WE'RE ALL
DEAD!!

FORM
RANKS!!

WE'LL
BREAK
THROUGH
AT ONE
POINT AND
ESCAPE!!

WHY
??

SHE
LOOK
OUT!!





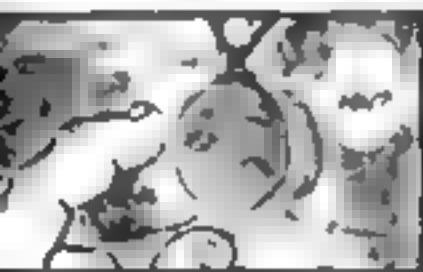
I'VE
NEVER
SEEN
SUCH

THAT
MUCH
TOY
AND
I'VE
NEVER
SEEN
A
PILG

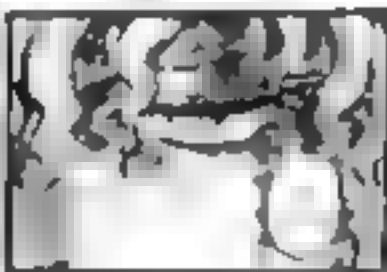
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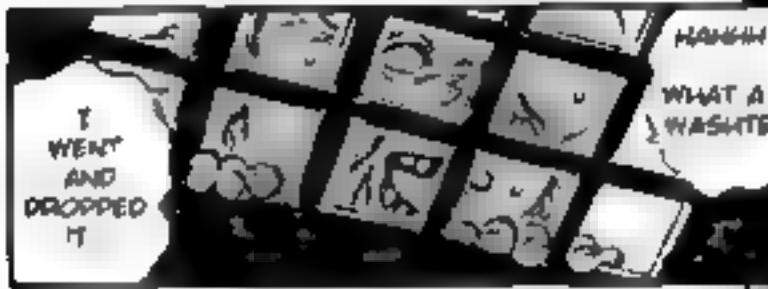
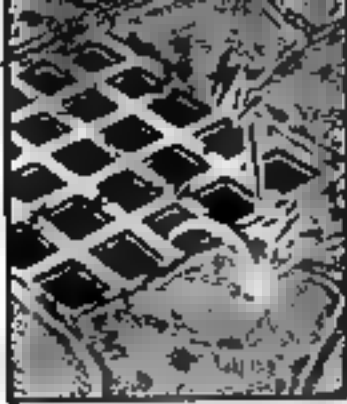
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I'VE
SEEN
ANY

I'VE
SEEN
ANY



DEMISE OF A DREAM: END



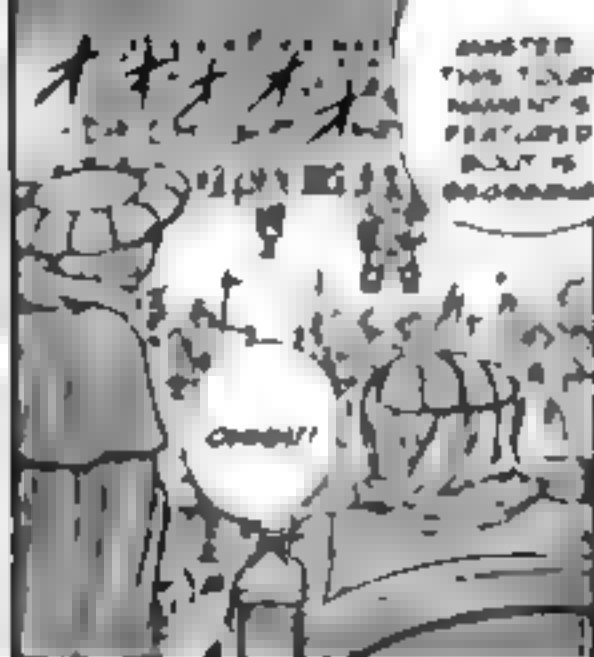
バトル

闘技会

ARMS TOURNAMENT





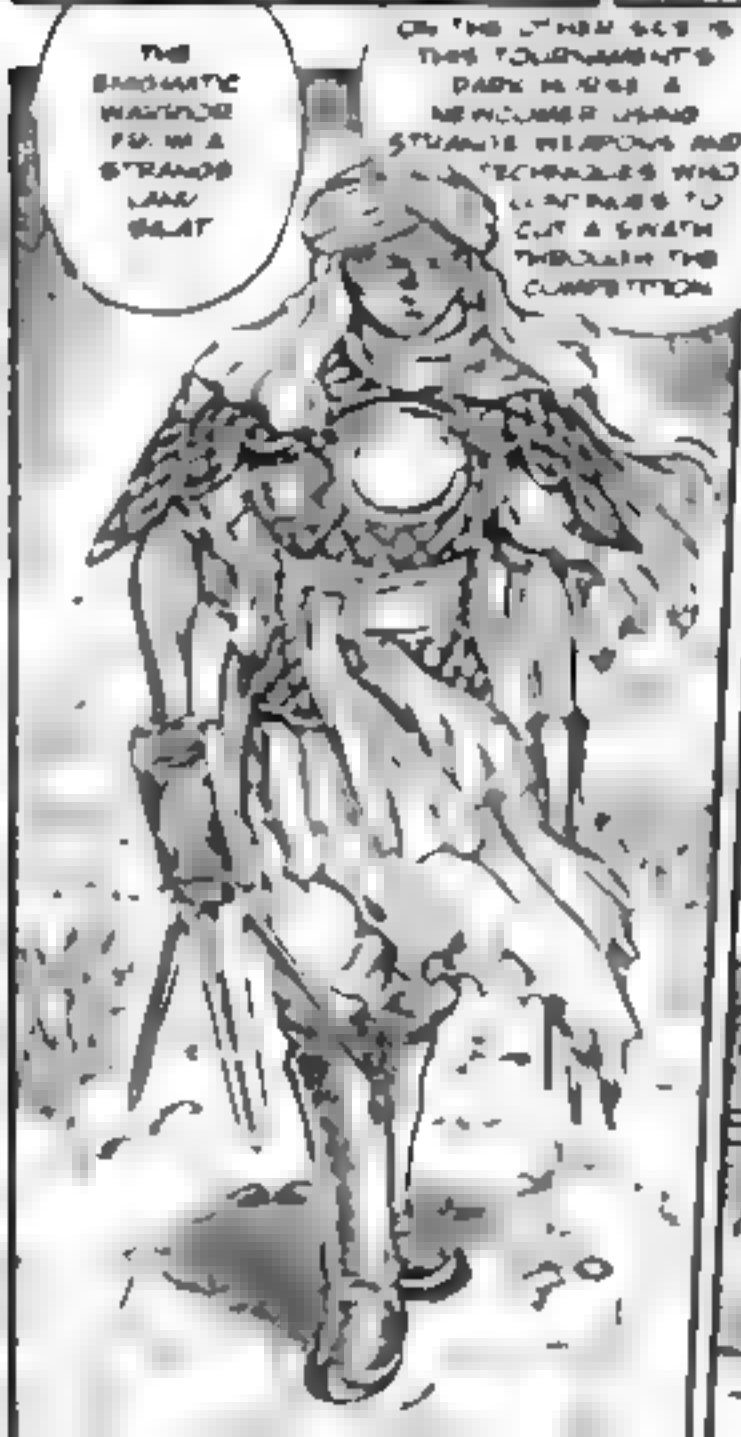


ENTER
THIS TOURNAMENT
IS
FEATURED
BUT IS
RECORDED

IT'S REALLY
STARTED TO
SHAW IN
SOME
STRONG
ONES



MY
COMBAT
TOURNAMENT
HAS
BEYOND
LAST'S
FALLS
IN MANY
COUNTRIES
OVER THE
YEARS



THE
EMPHATIC
WARRIOR
FIGHT A
STRONG
LAW
BEAT

ON THE OTHER SIDE IS
THIS TOURNAMENT'S
PART IN THE A
NEWCOMER USING
STRANGE WEAPONS AND
TECHNIQUES WHO
CONTINUES TO
CUT A SWATH
THROUGH THE
COMPETITION

A WILD BEAST
SAID TO HAVE
CLAIMED THE LIVES
OF A HUNDRED
THIRTY MILLION
SOLDIERS IN
THE FIVE YEAR
MURDER - YEAR
WAR

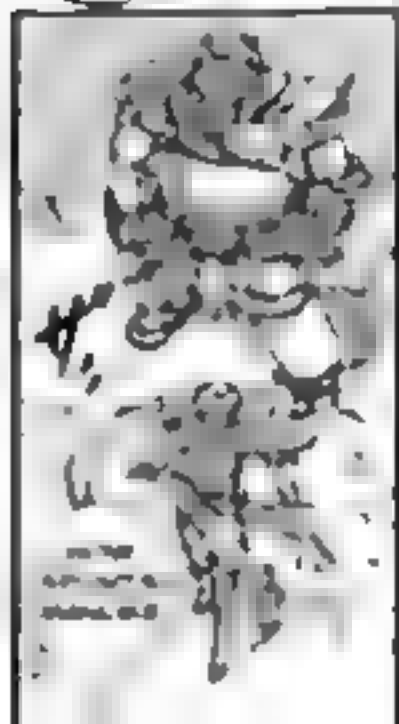
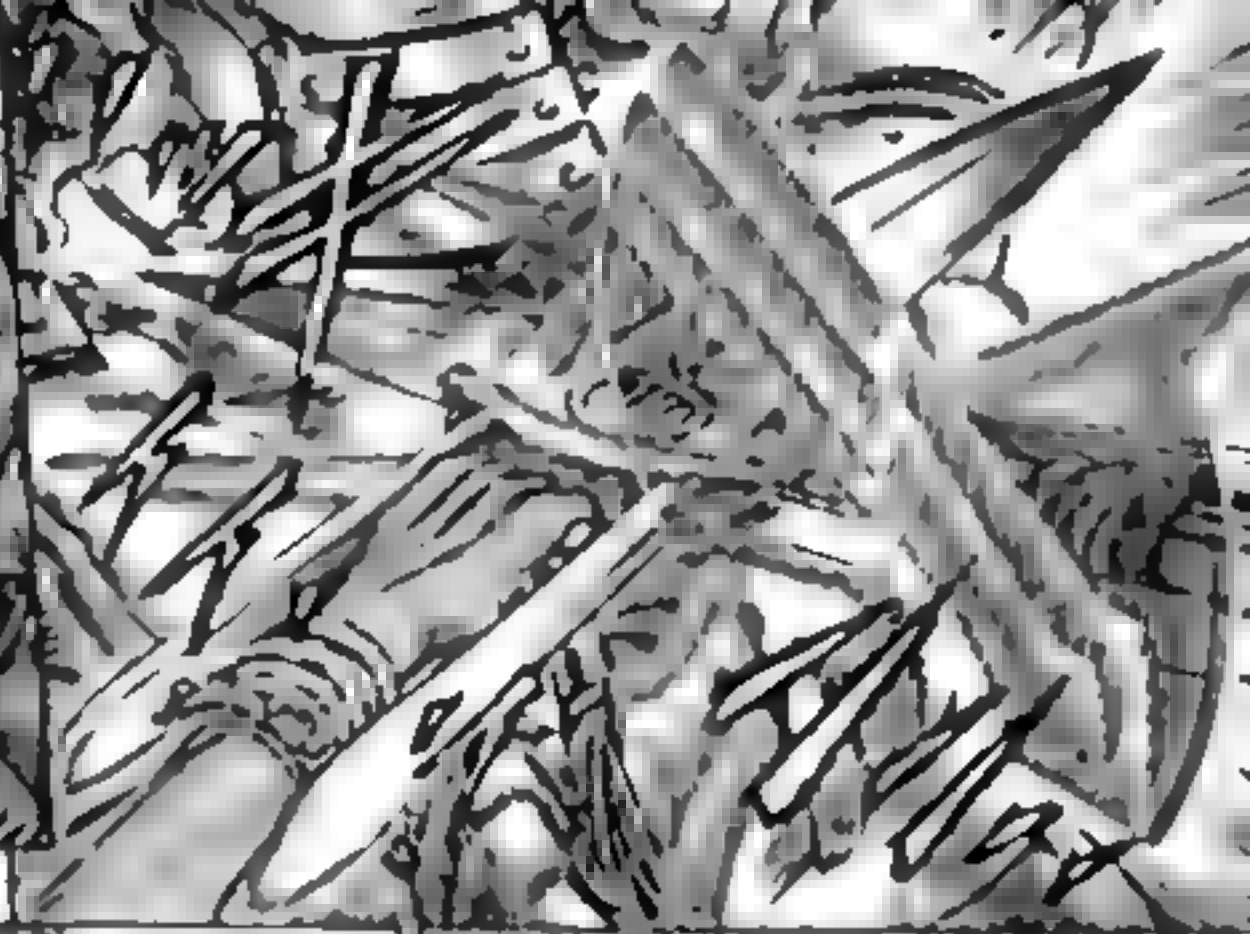


ON THE SET IS THE
RED EMBRY VALANCE
AS IN THE WAY AS
THE TEND OF
MARRIAGE











THE
SWORD
ARTS OF
THIS LAND
ARE
BULL- AND
NARROW-
MINDED.

IN THE
FACE OF MY
DEEPLY ROOTED
HAND-TO-HAND
FIGHTING STYLE,
THEY REARED AS
OF CHILDREN
SWINGING
STICKS.



OH-HO!!
THAT
TURBAN
MAN
DID
IT!!

IT SEEMS
CERTAIN
HE WILL
WIN THE
TOURNAMENT
THIS TIME.



I FEEL
SLIGHTLY
PUT OUT.

HAHAHA
STILL FOR
A POSITIONER
TO WIN WITH
SO LITTLE
OPPOSITION.



IT WOULD SEEM
THIS ADAM
TOURNAMENT IS
NO MORE THAN
A SWORD-
BUSTING
FARCE.





LET
GIVE THEM
LET ME
YOU
BEHOLD
THE
FOURTH

THE
YOUR
BROTHER

I AM THE
YOU'RE
PROPHET

COME
ON...
ANY
TIME.

WHAT
IS THE
LAST
OF THE



SOUNDS
PRETTY
SENSELESS
WHAT WITH
THAT MASSIVE
MASSLESS
OR WHAT'S
YOU SAID

DON'T
SWEAT THE
DETAILS
THIS IS A
FESTIVAL
AFTER ALL



VERY
WELL



YOU MEAN TO WIN BY USING THAT
FREAKISHLY MASSIVE SWORD
TO KEEP ME AT A DISTANCE
BUT THEN YOUR STYLE OF
SWORDPLAY CAN'T RESTRAIN
MY MOVEMENTS



IS A
RATHER
BORING
THING

A
FESTIVAL
WITHOUT
BLOOD







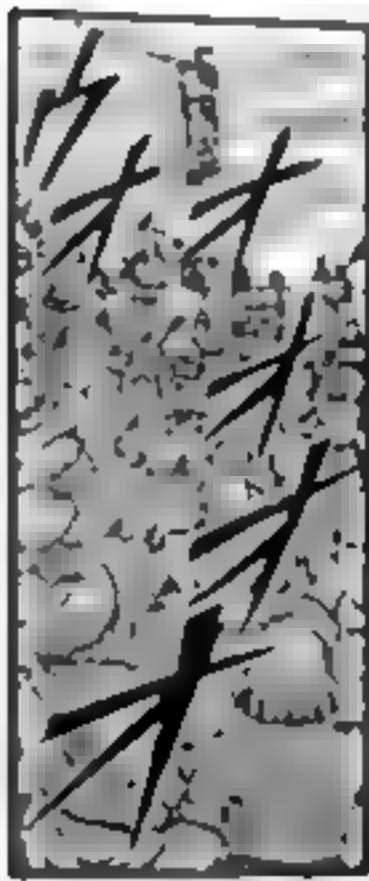


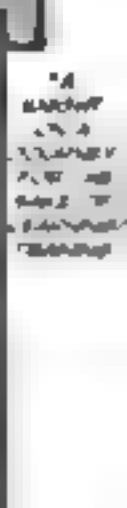
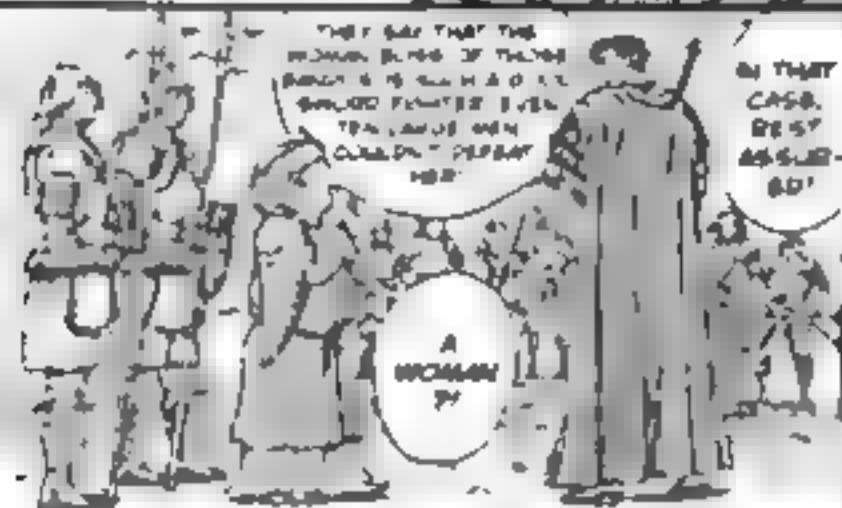
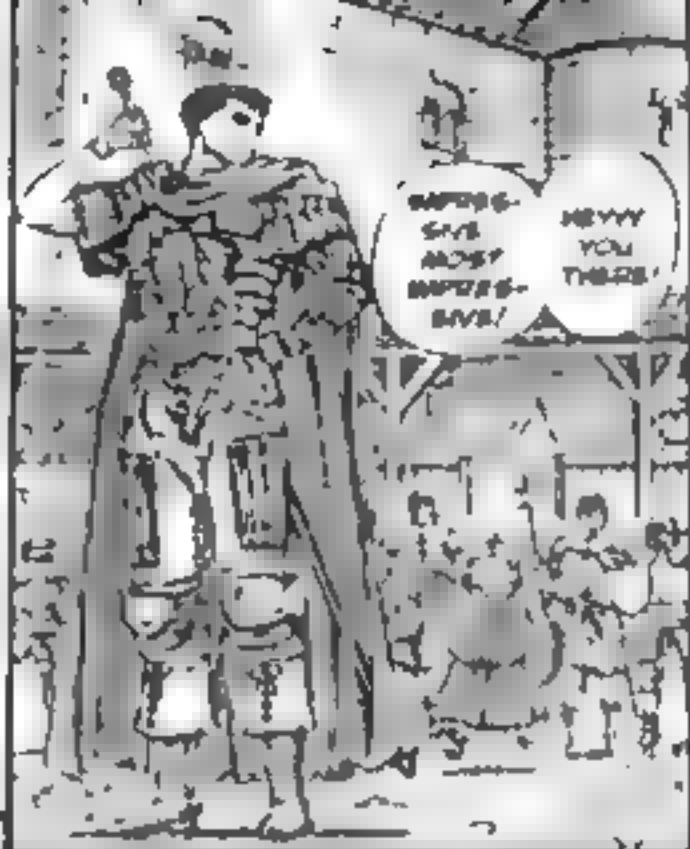
BOTH
HANDS
ARE
BARRIED!



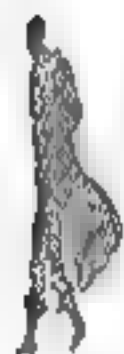
ENGARRRDE!









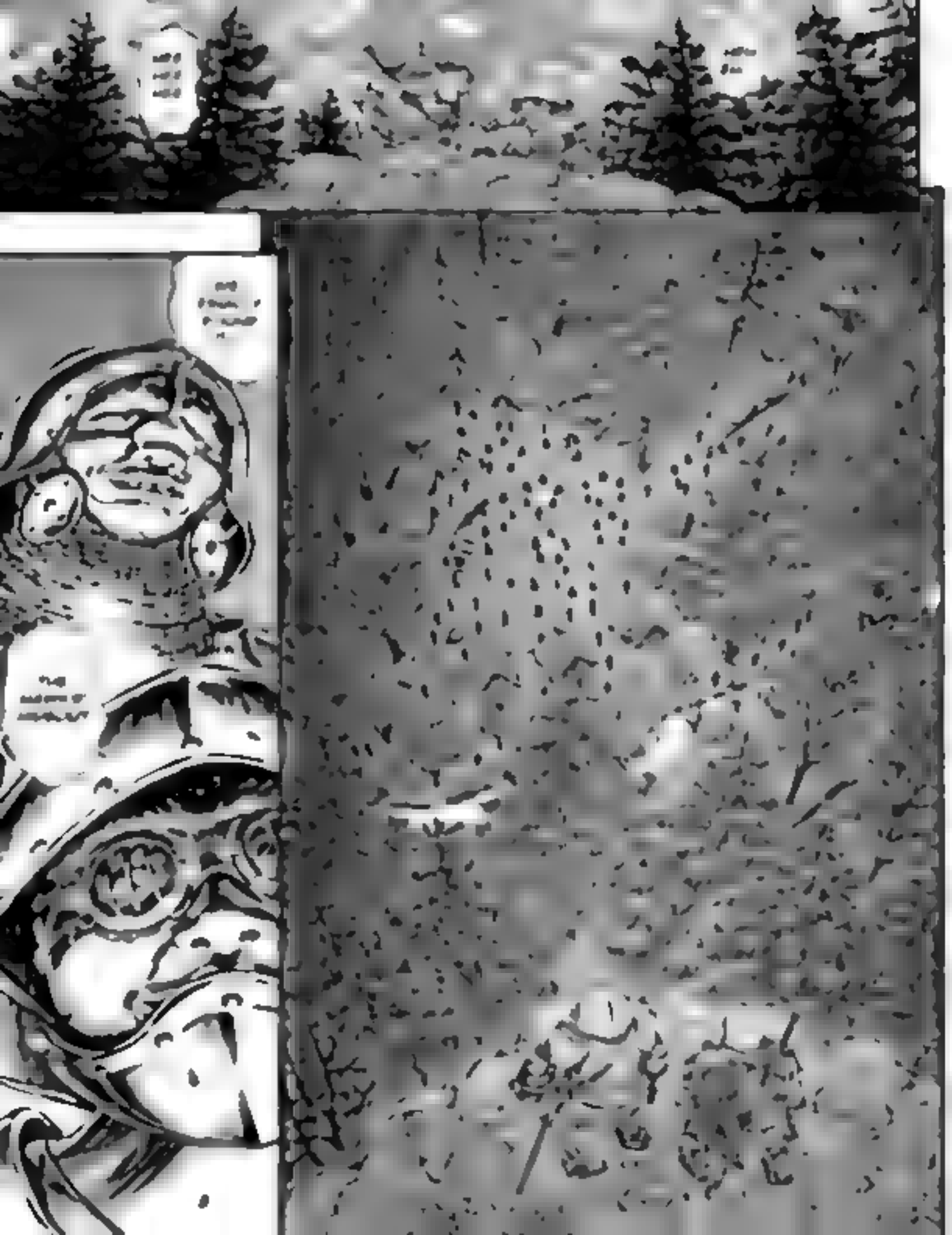


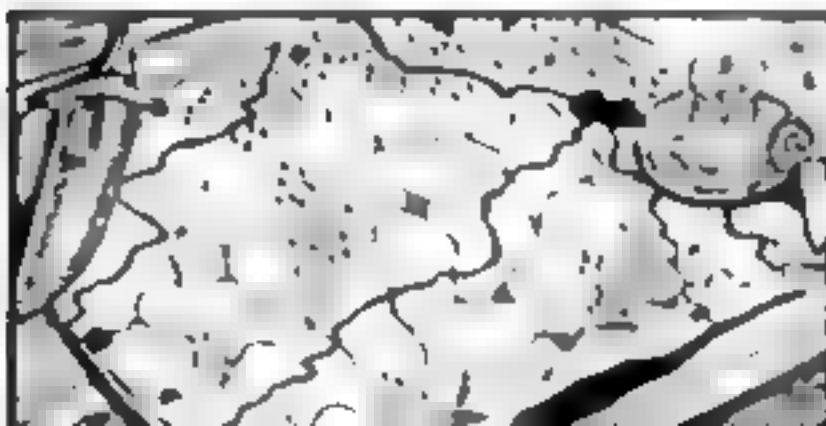
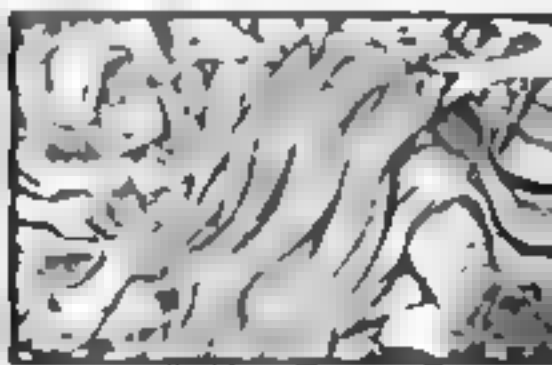
THE FUGITIVES

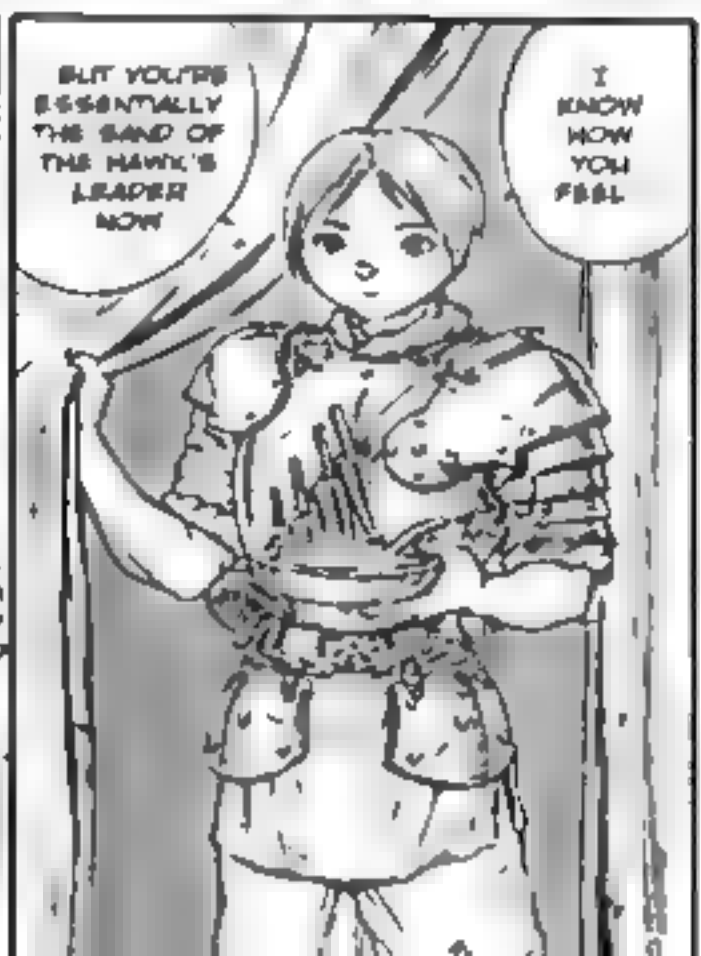


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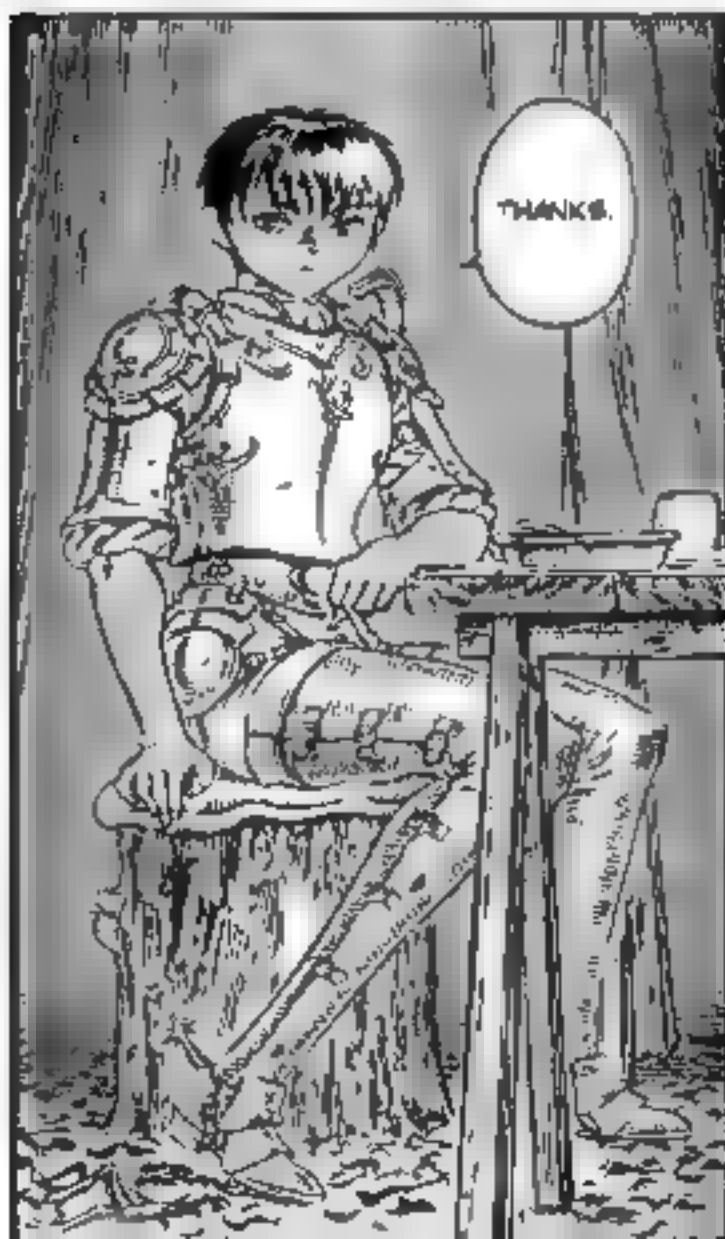
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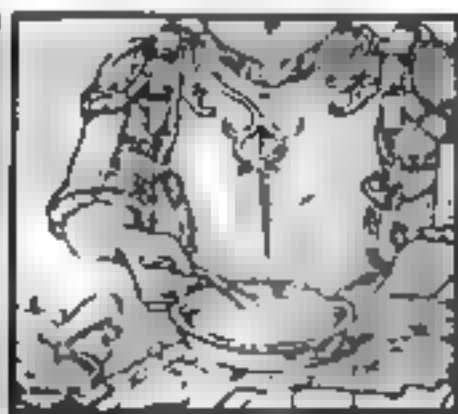














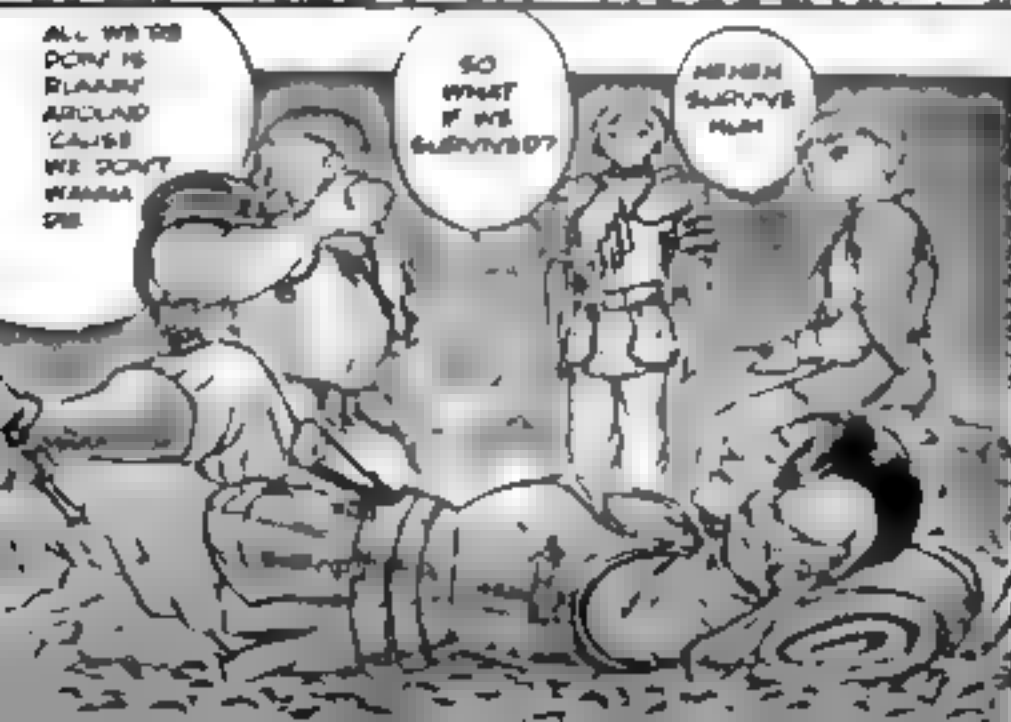
THAT'S BEST
SHE HADN'T
SLEPT AT
ALL LATELY

SHE'LL
REST
SOME

HOW'S
CASCA?



SHE'S ACTUALLY DOING
VERY WELL. IF SHE HADN'T
TAKEN COMMAND AT ONCE A
YEAR AGO, THE BAND OF THE
HAWK MIGHT HAVE BEEN
WIPE OUT ON THOSE
HUNTING GROUNDS



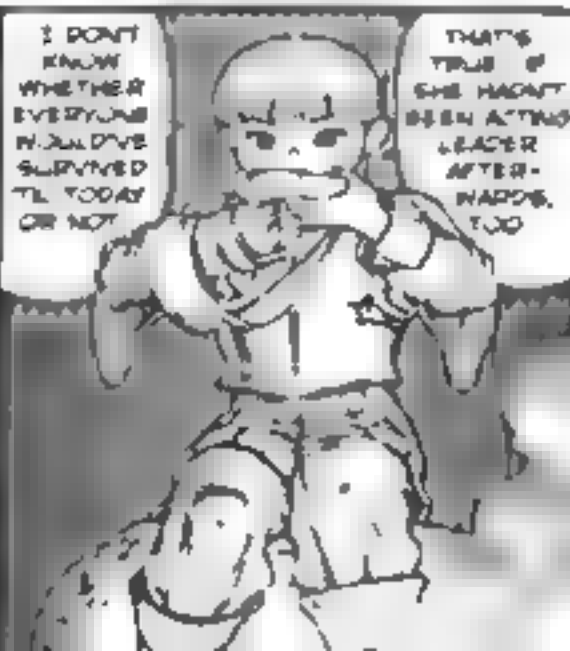
ALL WE'RE
DOING IS
BLASTING
AROUND
CAUSE
WE DON'T
WANA
DIE

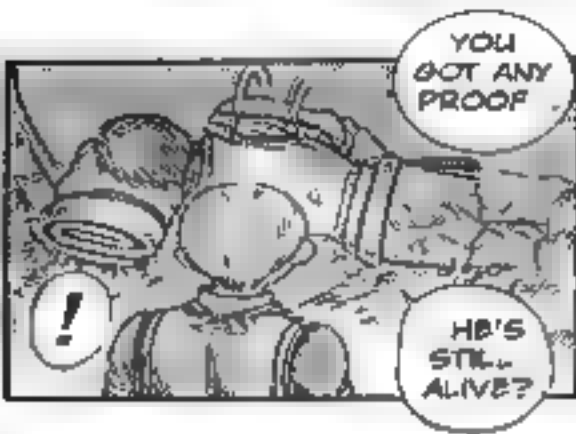
SO
WHAT
IF WE
SURVIVED?

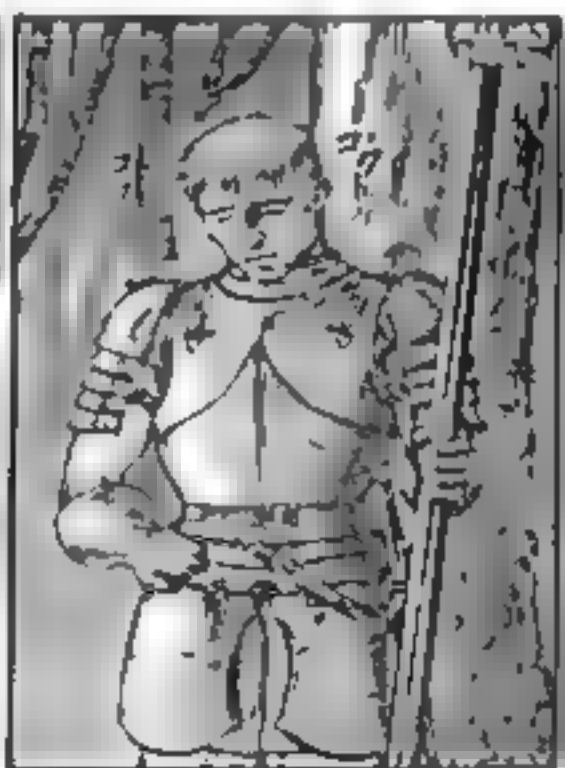
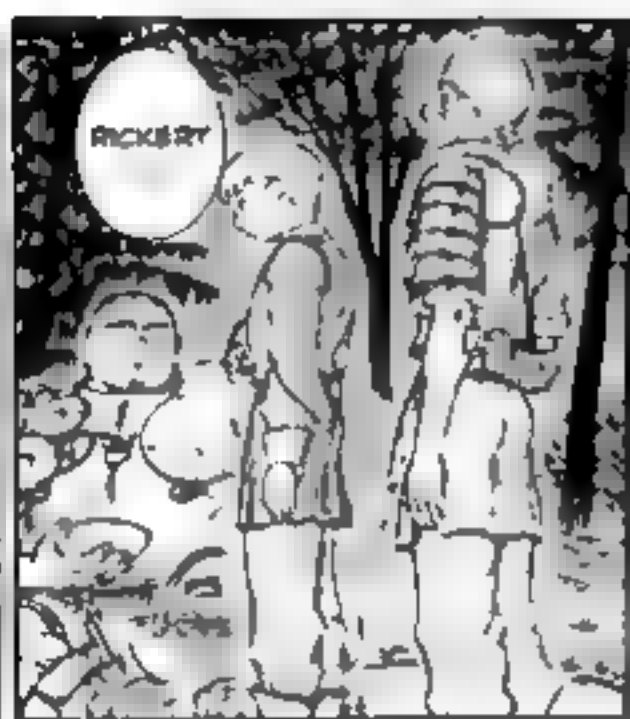
HEHEH
SURVIVE
HUN

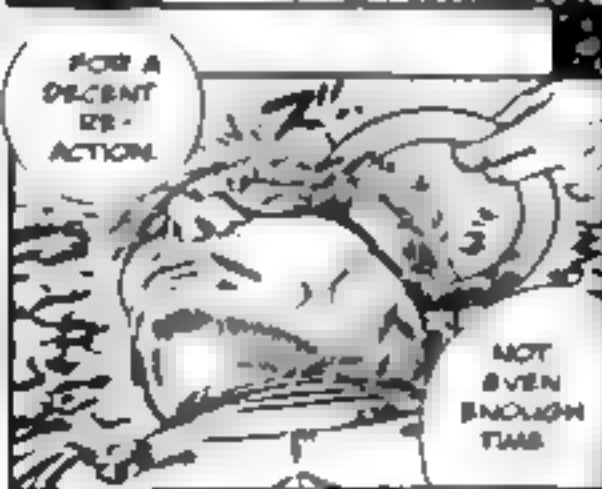
I DON'T
KNOW
WHETHER
EVERYONE
WOULD'VE
SURVIVED
TIL TODAY
OR NOT

THAT'S
TRUE IF
SHE HADN'T
BEEN ACTING
LEADER
AFTER-
WARDS, TOO

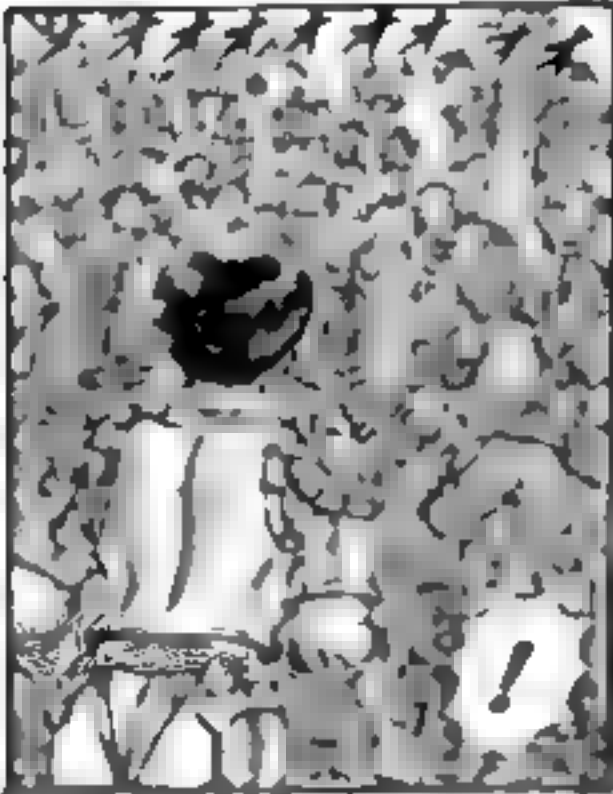
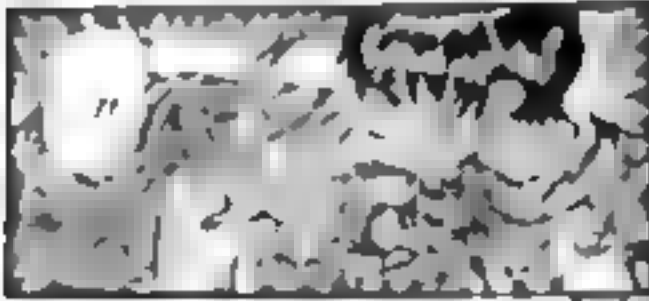













EVERYONE

ALL OF THE
IN LACED
BY THAT AND
ONE IN
HONORARY
THEY
GO LAD
BARD

THE BARD IS IN
THE MIDDLE
OF THE
FLAME LIPS
TO BE A
BEST OF
LIFE





NOTHING
LESS FROM THE
MUCH-RUMORED
BOSS OF THE
HAWKS I'M
IMPRESSED.

WARRIOR'S
ADAPTATION
AND
COMMAND
ABILITY




PREPARE
YOUR-
SELF!!

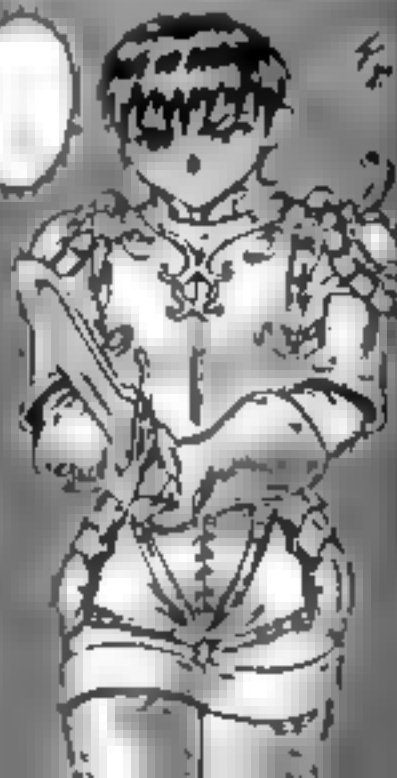
BUT IN ANY KIND OF BATTLE,
THE MOMENT THE LEADER'S
HEAD IS TAKEN IS THE
MOMENT THE OUTCOME
IS DECIDED.



TAKE
THIS!

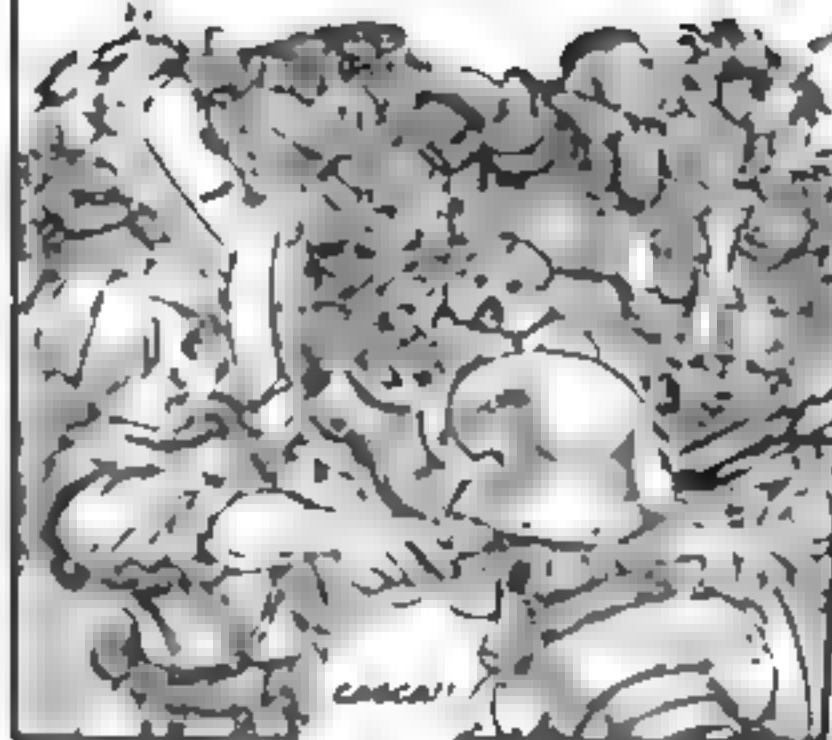


WEARING A
SWORD MEANS
YOU'RE A
WARRIOR, AND I
WON'T HOLD BACK
BECAUSE YOU'RE
A WOMAN...





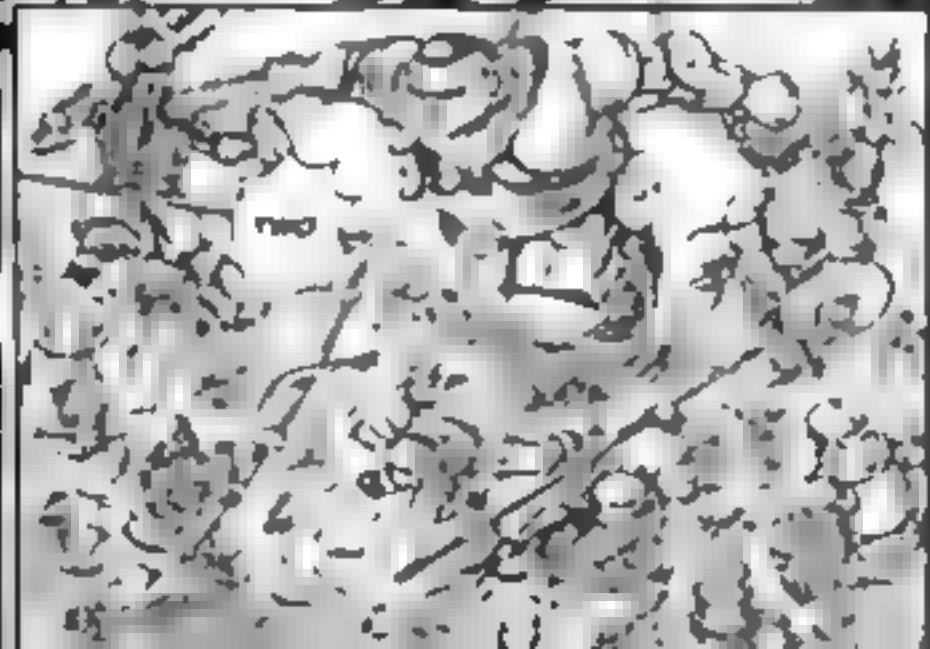




IF YOU THROW DOWN YOUR
SWORD AND ORDER YOUR
MEN TO SURRENDER. FINE
IF NOT, I CUT OFF YOUR
HEAD HERE AND NOW

THE
FIGHT
IS
OVER!

I'LL
COME TO
THIS YOU
SHALL
KNOW!!





FOUR.



ZWOHH...



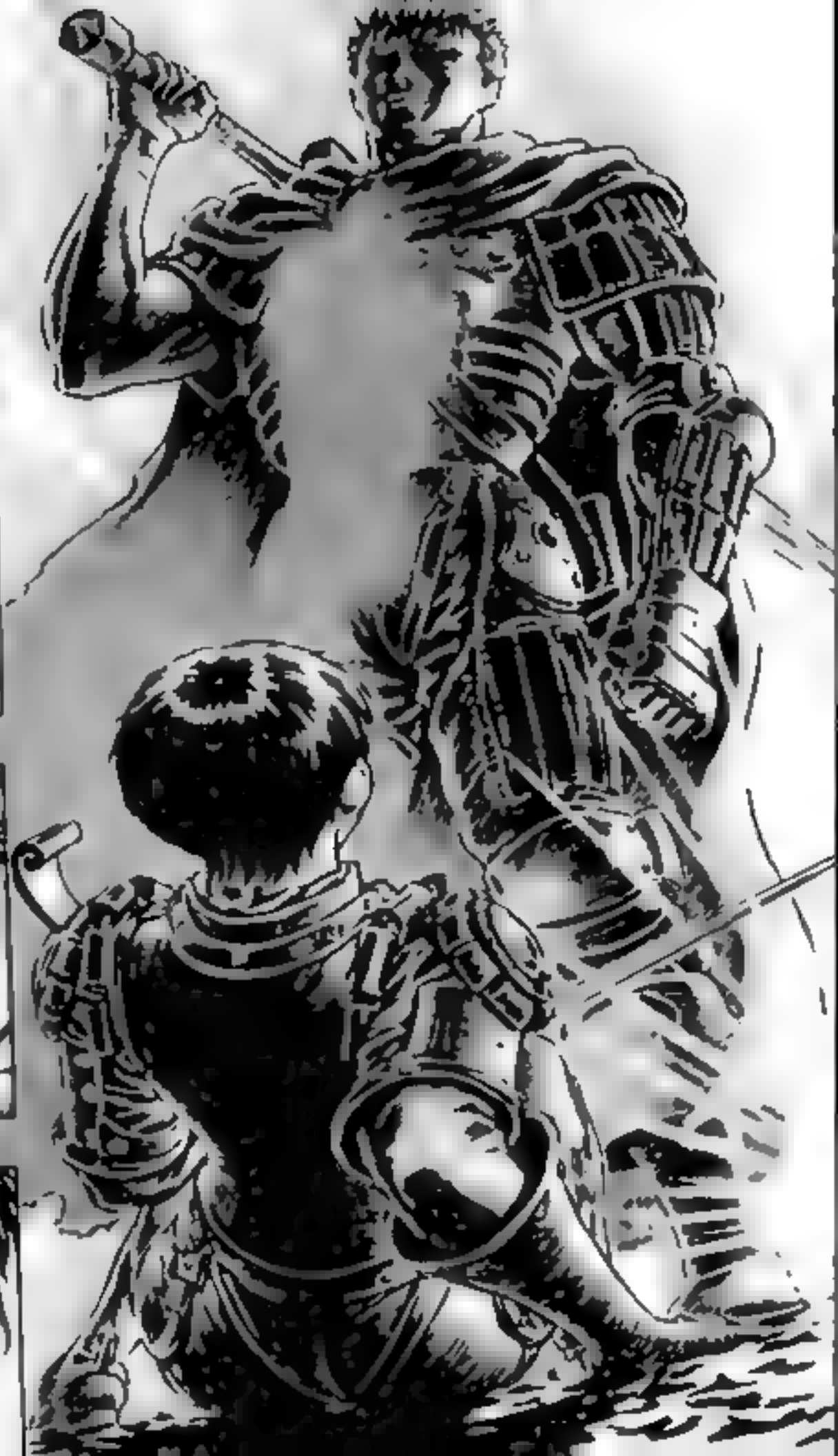
DON'T LET
SOME STREET
PERFORMER
DO YOU IN



PULL
YOURSELF
TOGETHER



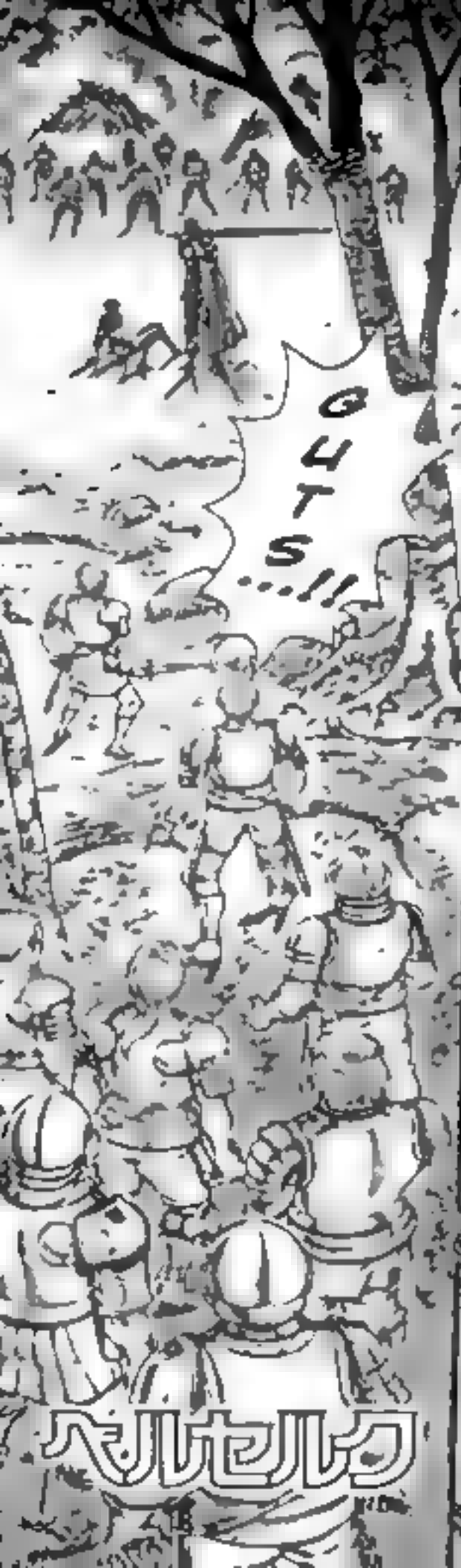
DON'T
COMMAN-
DER





THE
FUGITIVES:
END





ヘルセルク



ウルトラ

怪獣

THE FIGHTER



THE
CAPTAIN
OF THE
BAND
OF THE
HAWK'S
BANDS

YOU'RE
THAT
FAMOUS
HAWK'S
BAND
KID?

HEY! NO
TIME FOR
SLOUCHIN'



LEAVE
THIS TO
ME AND
TAKE CARE
OF YOUR
OWN JOB

HE AND I'VE
GOT A BIT OF
BUSINESS



SO
THAT'S
IT

NO
WONDER
YOU'RE
SO
TOUGH



HERE
I'LL
WASH
AWAY .



THE
SHAME
FROM
THE ARMS
TOURNA-
MENT!



THIS
TOO IS
DIVINE
GRACE.

HAH.



THESE
UNFAMILIAR
WEAPONS,
THESE
CHAKRAM?

NOW, I
WONDER
IF YOU
CAN
DEFEAT



CHIEF-
RAM-
TH

YOU REALLY
DO HEAR ME
OF A STREET
PERFORMER

SO
YOUR
NEXT
FEAT'S
SING
FOR US-
AND?



OH
NO

DON'T
LAUGH THESE
AREN'T JUST
THERYING
ROADS



OH
NO

BUT
YOU
STARE
AS A
GUILTY-
MAN

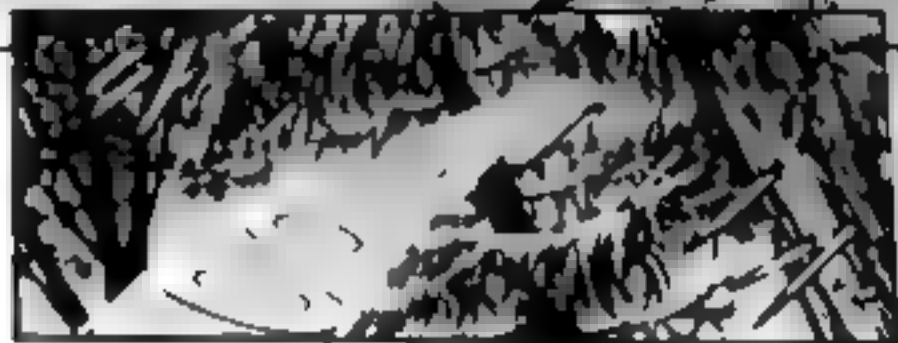


ONCE
THEY FLY
OFF THE-
HEADS



THEY GO
TO TAKE
OFF YOUR
HEAD! AND
BACONS

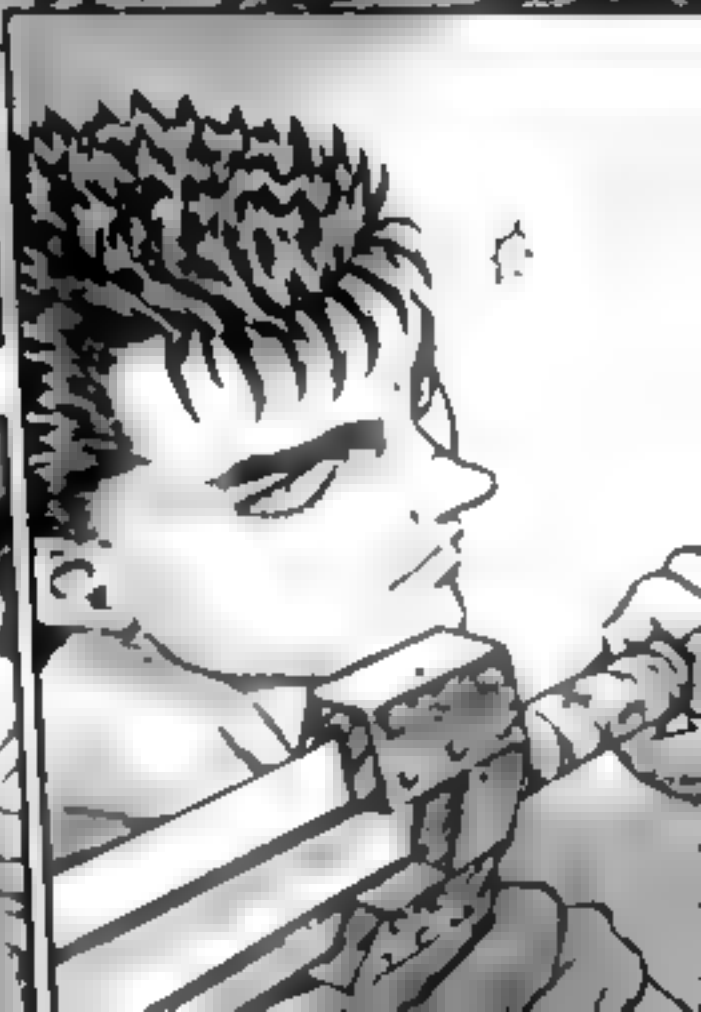
...
ANGELS'
HALOS!!



YOUR
DREAM!!



WHETHER
PLAY UP
YOU











WHERE'D
HE PULL
THAT
FROM?

YOU
EVEN
TALK
LIKE AN
ENTER-
TAINER



WHAT'S
WITH
THAT'S
WEAPONS
??



THE
NAME
MEANS
"THUNDER"!

URUM-!!

AS THE NAME
SUGGESTS, ITS
POWER IS LIKE
A THUNDERCLAP,
AND IT'S THE
MIGHTIEST
WITHIN MY
ARSENAL!!

DRINK
OF IT
DEEPLY!!





NICELY
DODGED!

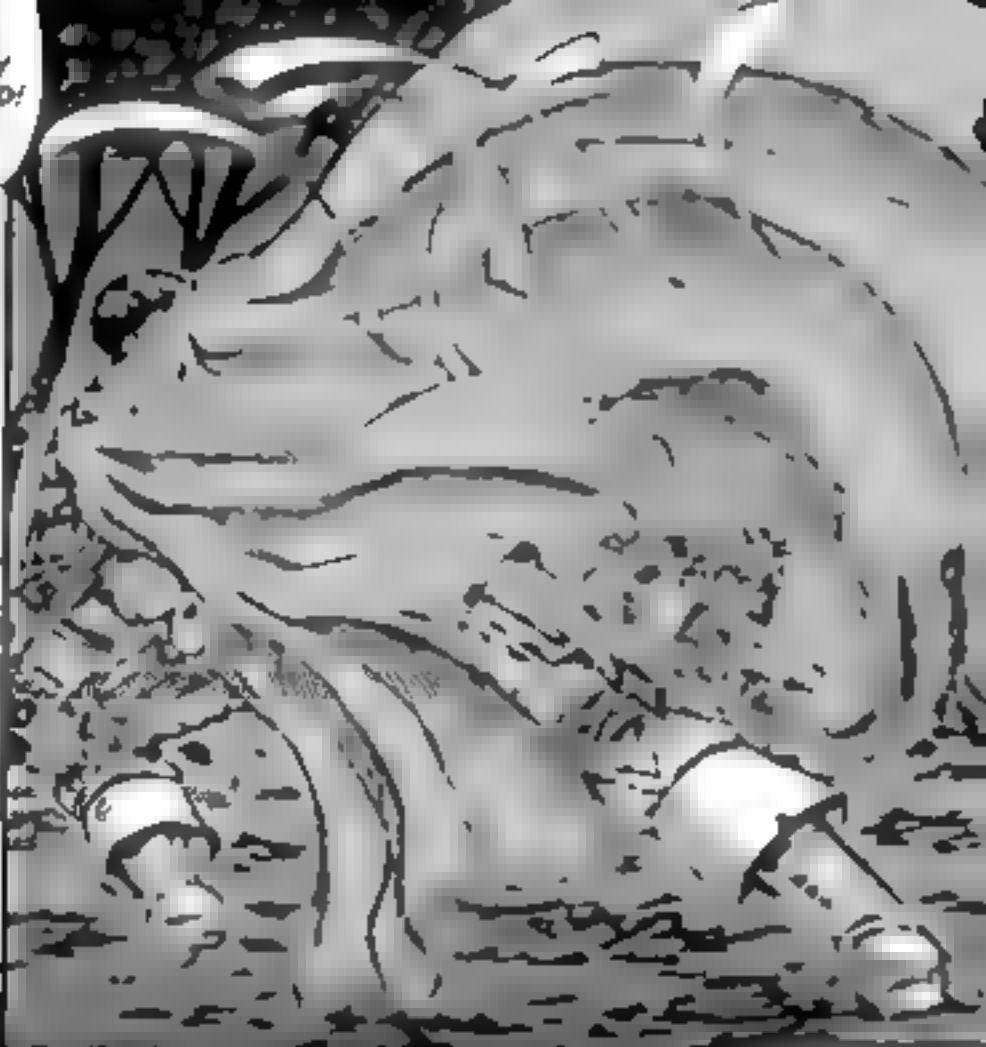
EXCELLENT
REFLEXES!



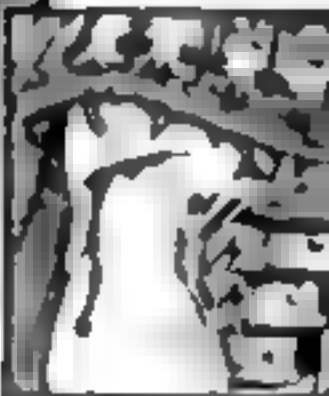
BUT HOW LONG
CAN YOU KEEP
RUNNING?! ONE
URUMI CONSISTS
OF FIVE BLADES
THAT MOVE LIKE
WHIPS AND CUT
LIKE A WEASEL. O
SLASH!! AND I
CAN MANIPULATE
EACH BLADE
INDIVIDUALLY!!

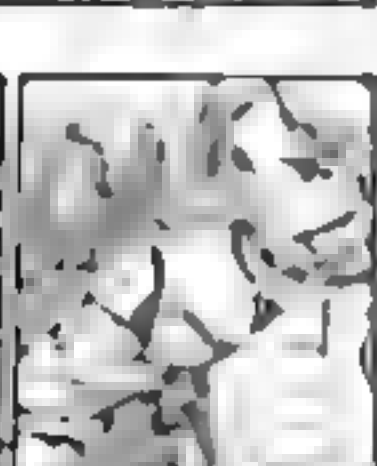


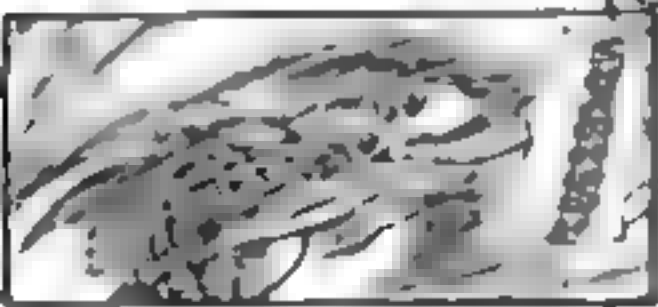
HOW
WILL YOU
BLOCK
BLADES
FROM TEN
DIRECTIONS
AT ONCE?!

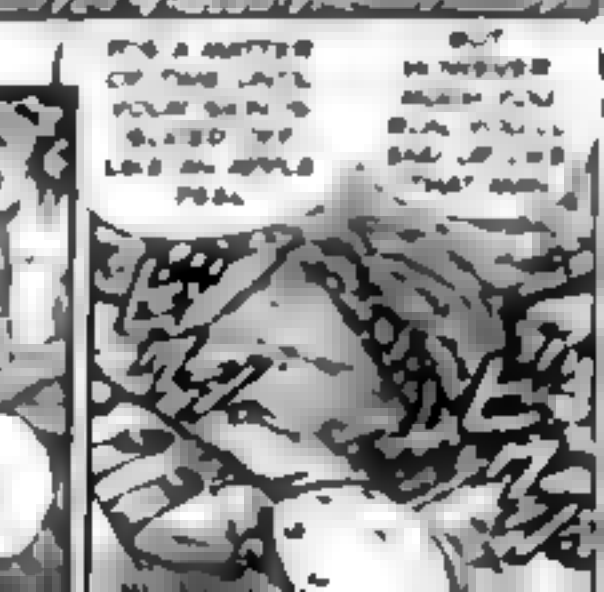


WELL
THAT'S
ALL!









WHY ARE YOU
DOING THIS?

BECAUSE
I'VE GOT
TO LIVE!
FIGHT ME!

WHAT
CAN
YOU
DO?

BECAUSE
I'VE GOT
TO LIVE!
FIGHT ME!

THOSE AREN'T THE
EYES OF A DEAD
MAN

A BROTHERMAN AS
DEAD AS THE
GOLDEN EAGLE
THAT

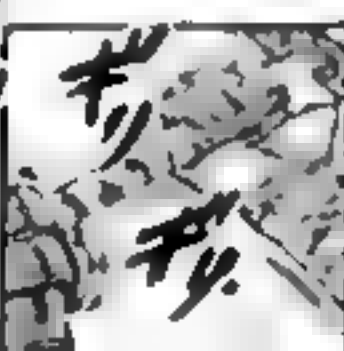
HAVE
YOU
THE
POWER
TO

THE
BROTHER-
MAN AS
DEAD AS
THE
GOLDEN
EAGLE
THAT

I
ACCEPT
THE
CHALLENGE
OF
TEN
BLADES!!

SO
BE
IT!!

SUFFER
THE
DANCE
OF TEN
BLADES!!











SWITCHING
WEAPONS
ON THE
FLY

NOT
TO
SHADY



IT'S NO
USE

MASTER
BLAT

WE'RE
BEING
BOUTER



I'LL
BEAM
AND
HOLD
HARD

GLUE
WAS
IT



BE THE
CUT





兄弟戦争

戦友

COMRADES IN ARMS







UNITS
TWO AND
THREE
CARRY OUT
THE
ARMS AND
PROVISIONS
THAT
WEREN'T
BURNED!!

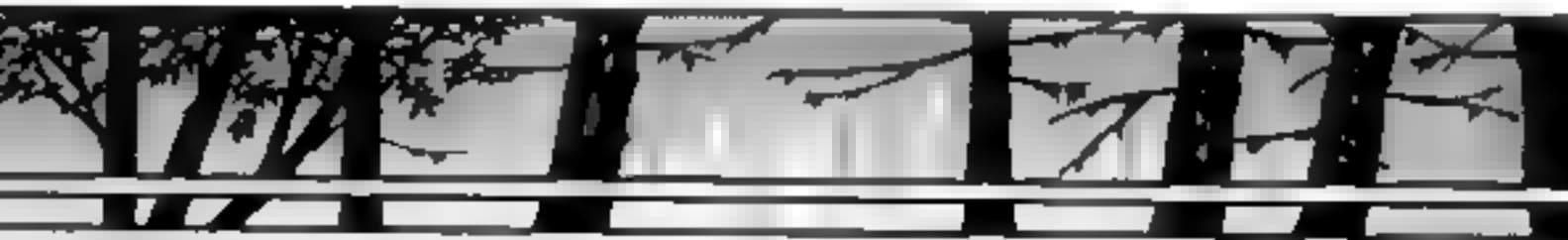
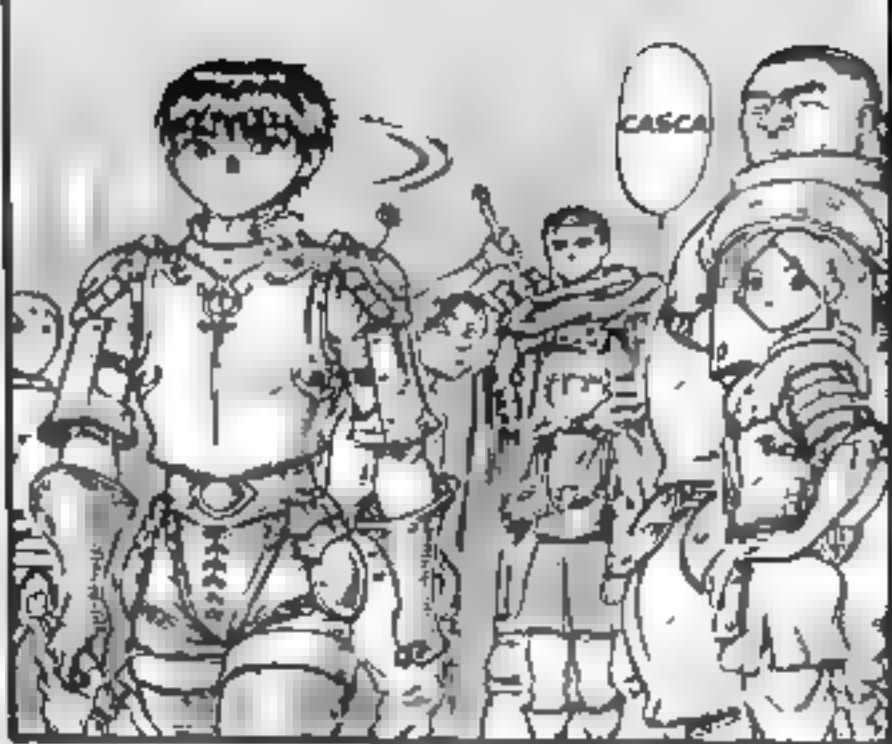
UNIT ONE
SECURE
THE
CAMP'S
PERI-METER!!

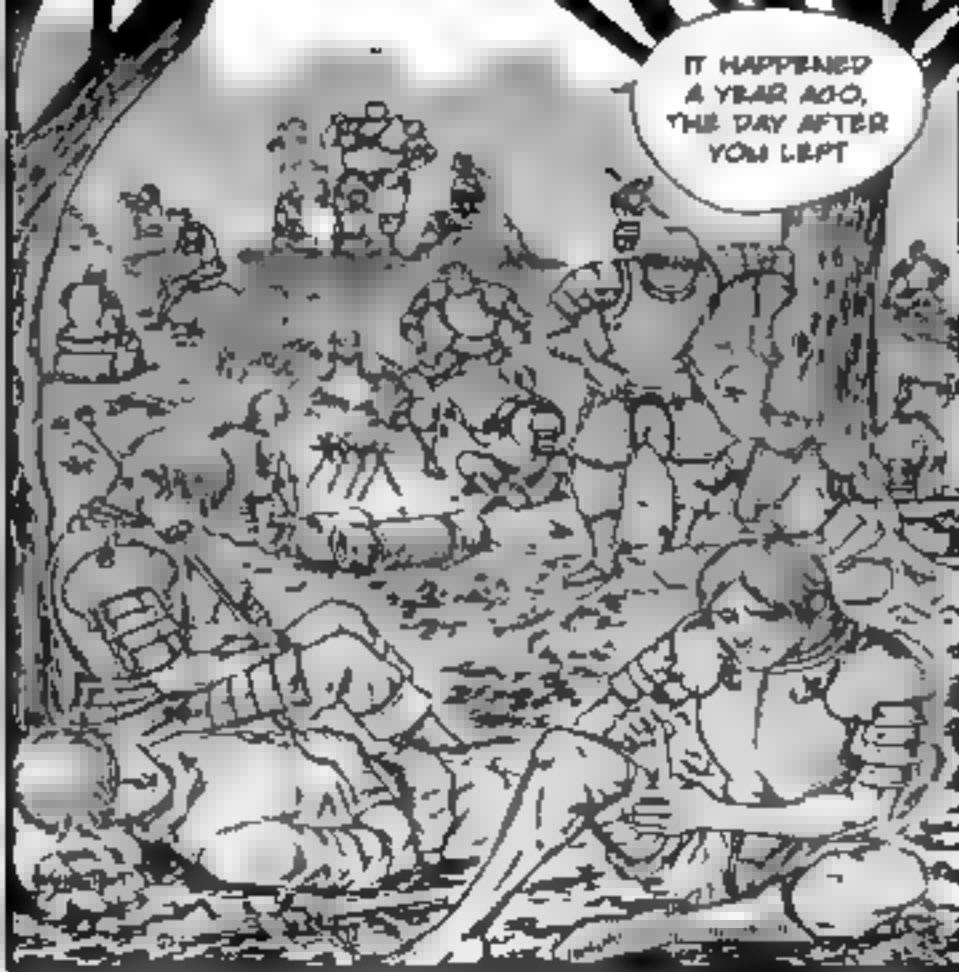
WE
MOVE
WHILE
IT'S
STILL
DARK!!

THE
ENEMY
WILL
COME
BACK!!

WE
DON'T
HAVE
TIME
TO
STAND
AROUND!!

EVERYONE
ELSE
GATHER
UP THE
HORSES
THAT RAN
OFF!!
HURRY!!



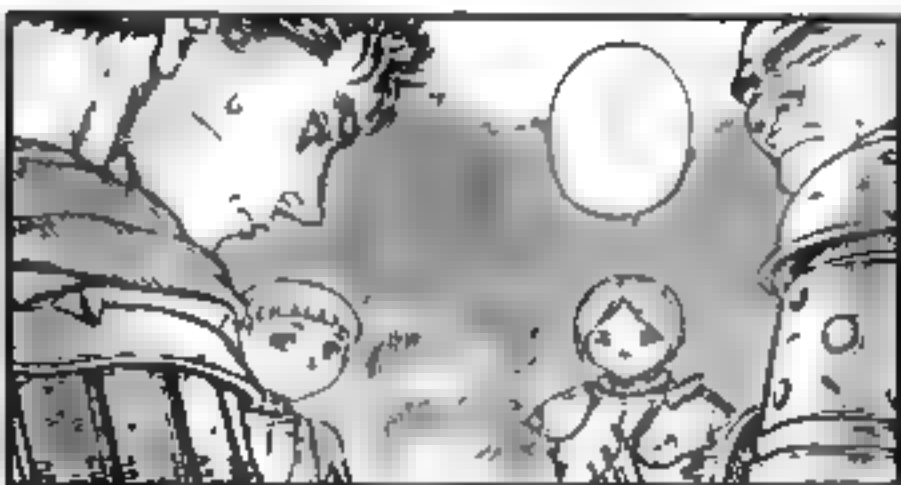


IT HAPPENED
A YEAR AGO,
THE DAY AFTER
YOU LEFT



GRIFF

GRIFF-
FITH WAS



WHAT
I THINK
IS...

GRIFFITH
WAS REALLY
DEPRESSED.

AFTER
YOU
LEFT.

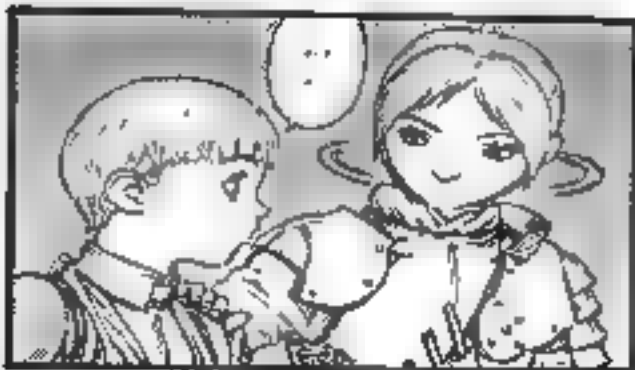
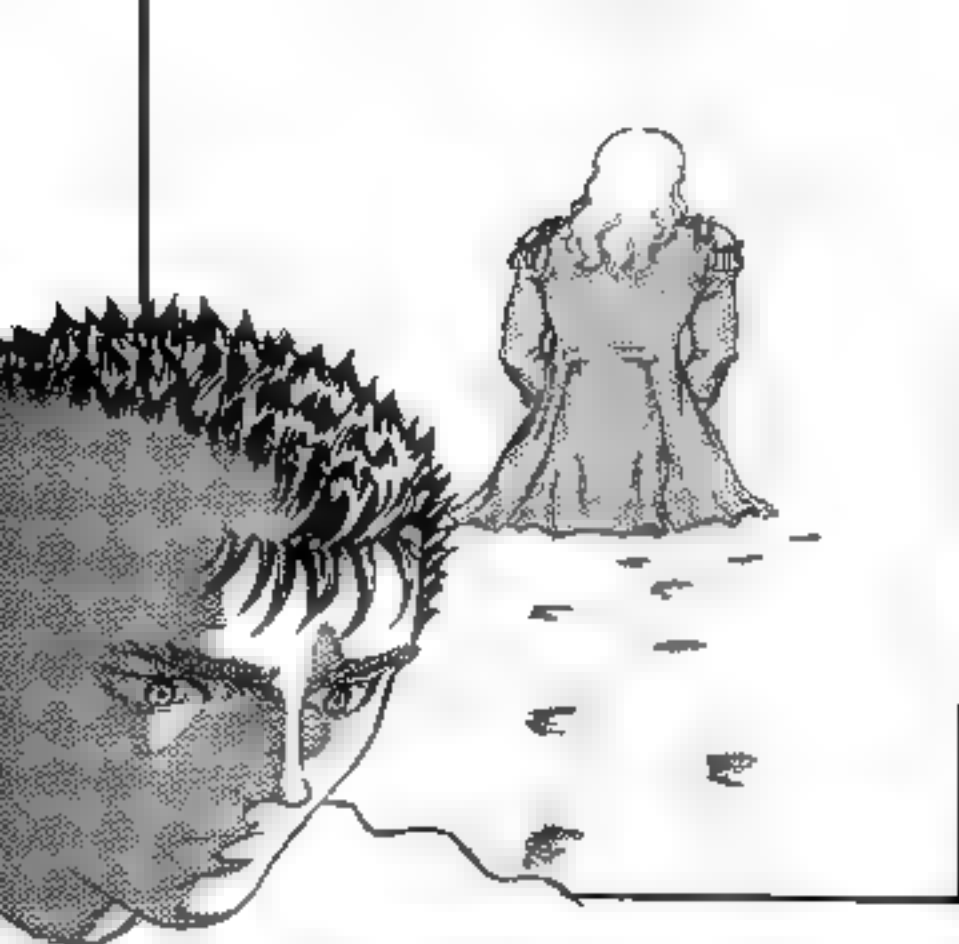
IT MUST
HAVE BEEN
OVER YOU,
OUTS



THAT
GRIFFITH
WOULD

I
DON'T
BELIEVE
IT

WHY



HEH... IN ONE NIGHT THE GLORIOUS BAND OF THE HAWK...

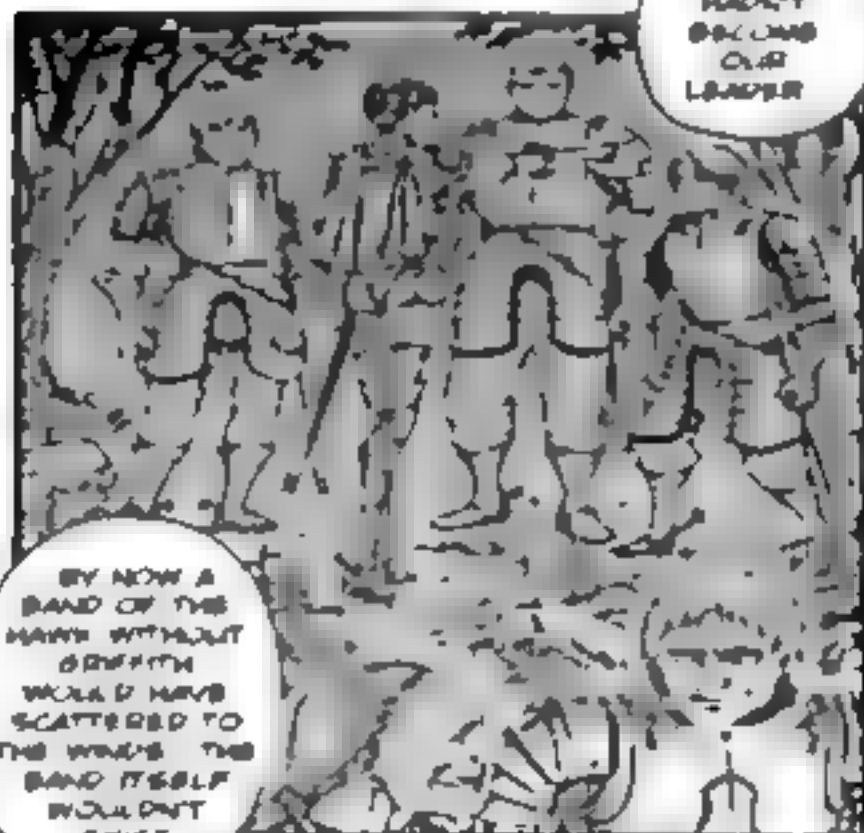


NO WAY

NOT A CHANCE

THE REASON THIS HAPPENED TO GREYTH

WAS BECAUSE OF YOU



IF CARCA HADN'T BECOME OUR LEADER

WE WOULD HAVE LEFT ON THE 15TH OF JUNE. WE CAN'T EVEN BE CALLED AN ARMY ANYMORE

IN ONE YEAR WE'VE DECREASED TO LESS THAN A FIFTH IN NUMBERS



BUT IT STILL COULD'VE BEEN WORSE



IF CARCA HADN'T TAKEN CLAM-BAND

LET JUST SAY THAT I THINK WE WOULD HAVE BEEN WIPED OUT THAT DAY

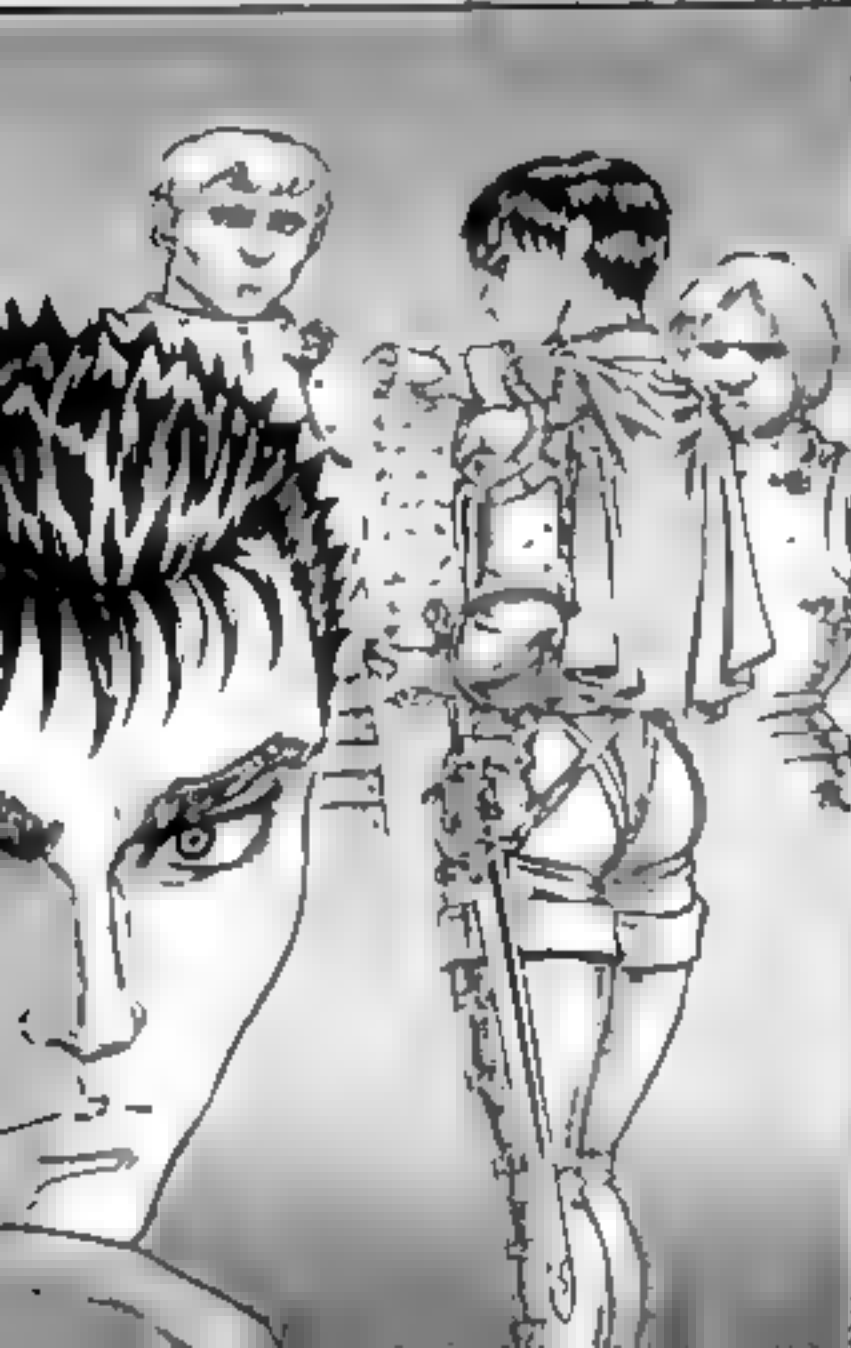


THE DEATH



SHE RALLIED EVERYONE, ON THE VERGE OF PANIC WITH ARROWS COMING DOWN LIKE RAIN, AND LED THE VANGUARD IN BREAKING THROUGH ONE SIDE OF THE NET

SHE WAS AMAZING WITHOUT ANY WEAPONS, SURROUNDED BY CLOSE TO TEN TIMES OUR NUMBER



SHE CONTINUED TO COMMAND US ALL TO THE END, NOT LOSING CONSCIOUSNESS EVEN WITH FIVE ARROW WOUNDS



NOT ONE PERSON OPPOSED IT AFTER THAT TERRIFIC DEED

SO SINCE THEN CASCIA HAS BEEN ACTING AS OUR LEADER

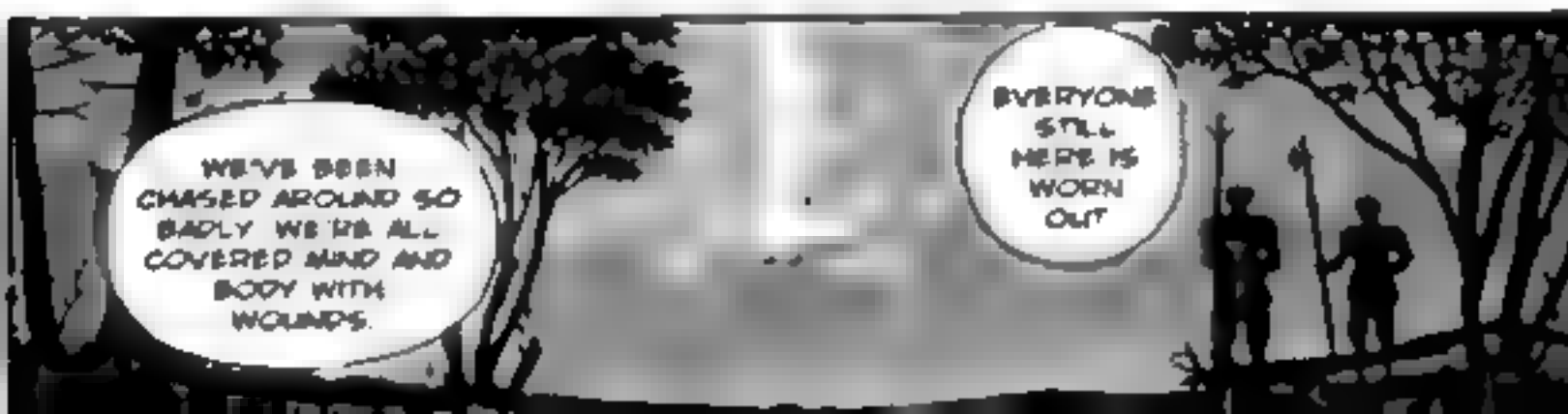


IF THE HAWKS ARE TO SURVIVE

IF WE'RE TO

BUT WE'VE GOT NO ROOM FOR ANY OTHER OPTION. TO BE HONEST I THINK IT'S A LITTLE UNFAIR TO HER







NO ONE'S BEEN
COERCED INTO
STAYING, EITHER.

BUT THERE'S
NO ONE LEFT
WHO WOULD
TRY TO
LEAVE



COURAGE AND
WILLPOWER ALONE
AREN'T ABOUT
TO CUT IT,
ESPECIALLY
NOT NOW .

IN THE END,
EVERYONE
HERE IS,
FOR BETTER
OR WORSE,
A HAWK TO
THE CORE



WE
DON'T
GO JUST
TO SAVE
GRIFFITH.

WE
CAN'T
GET
STARTED
AGAIN
WITHOUT
HIM.

Y'KNOW

IT'S A
GOOD
THING

WHEN
THE PLACE
YOU COME
BACK TO
HASN'T
CHANGED.

IT'S A
GOOD
THING

HAVEN'T GUARDS
ABOUT THE HAWKS
SPREAD TO OTHER
COUNTRIES? HOW
COME YOU DIDN'T
COME SOONER ?

WHAT'VE
YOU BEEN
DOING
THIS PAST
YEAR?

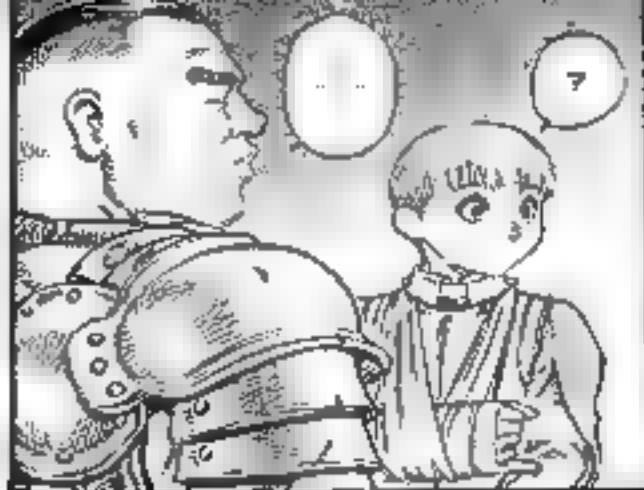
ON
THAT
NOTE

I'M SORRY
RICKERT
I REALLY
DIDN'T
KNOW

BUT
HOW? WERE
YOU ON A
DESERTED
ISLAND OR
SOMETHING?

YEAH,
RIGHT!





SEEMS
LIKE,
FOR
ME..

.. NOTHING
BUT
WIELDING
THIS..

.. REALLY
FEELS
TRUE

NO OTHER
ANSWERS.
IT FEELS
NATURAL.

IS PROOF
WE STILL HAD
SOME LUCK
LEFT

ANYWAY,
YOU'RE
COMING
BACK...

RAIDERS
CAPTAIN.

I HOPE
YOU'LL
HELP
US





I
GET
IT.



CAN
FAMILY?



WHAT
ABOUT YOUR
CLOTHING
SHELF IN
WICHAM ?

OH
YEAH
BASTON



IF I KNOW
WHEN I
HEARD WHAT
HAPPENED
TO THE
GUYS I
COULD JUST
BE AT
THEIR

HEH
ALL IT
DID WAS
FRESH-
THAT'S
ME

YEAH
ABOUT
THAT
I HAN
OUT
ON IT



HOW LONG IS
YOU GOING
TALK ABOUT
THE STUFF?

COME
ON OVER
AND LET'S
HAVE A
DRINK

GUYS



SAME
FOR
YOU,
CAP-
TAIN?



THANKS
TO THOSE
WOUNDS
A YEAR
AGO.

SHE SPENT
THREE DAYS AND
THREE NIGHTS IN
A COMATOSE STATE
NEAR DEATH.



BE-
FORE
THAT

WHAT A
MINUTE.



! ABOUT
CASCA.



WHAT?



TO
GRIFFITH.

DURING THAT TIME
SHE HAD NIGHTMARES
AND CALLED OUT
OVER AND OVER

AND
TO
YOU.

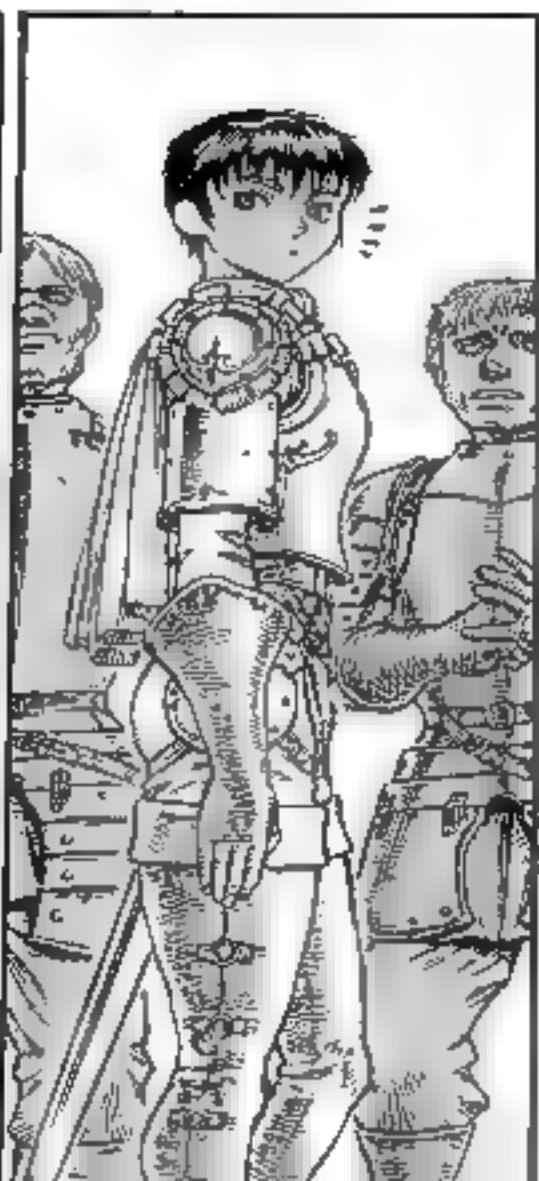
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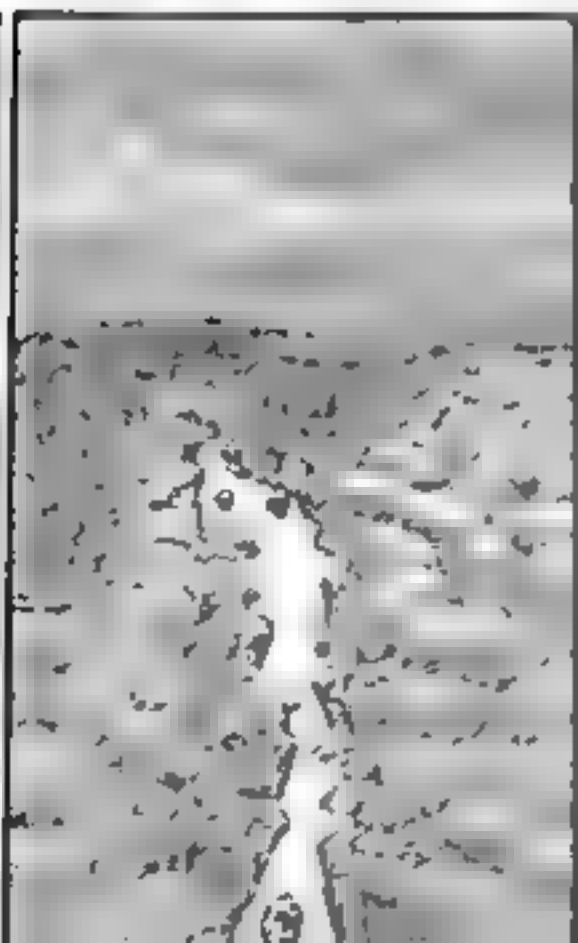
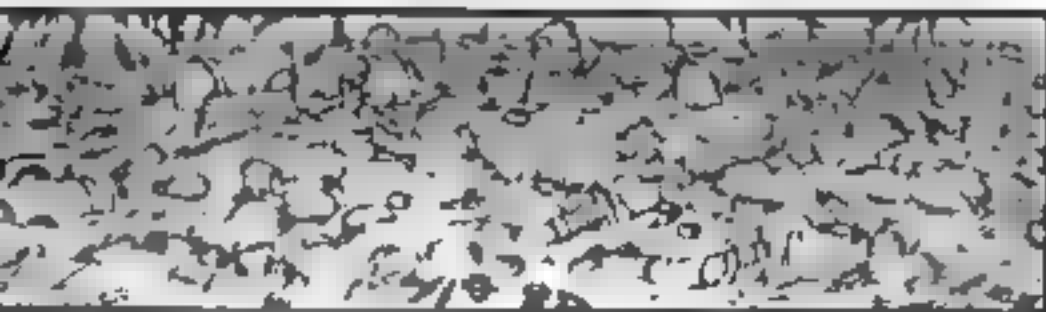


SHE'S
PUSHING
HERSELF
HARDER THAN
IT LOOKS.



SHE'S
ALWAYS
BEEN ONE
WITH
TOO MUCH
ON HER
SHOULDERS
...







COMRADES IN ARMS: END



ME
FOR
A
BIT

COME
WITH.

カエルの声



告白

CONFESSION





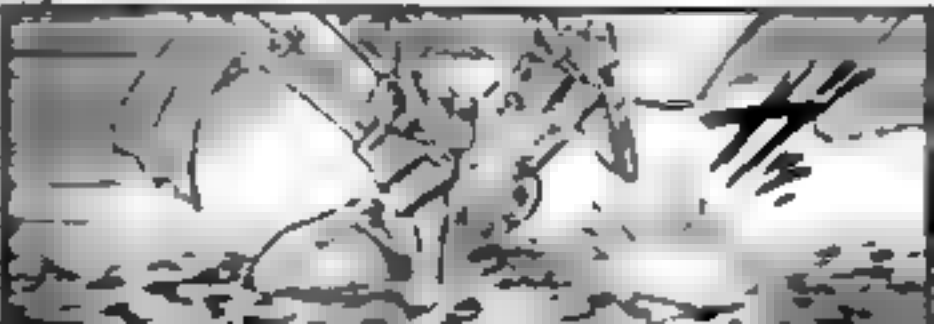
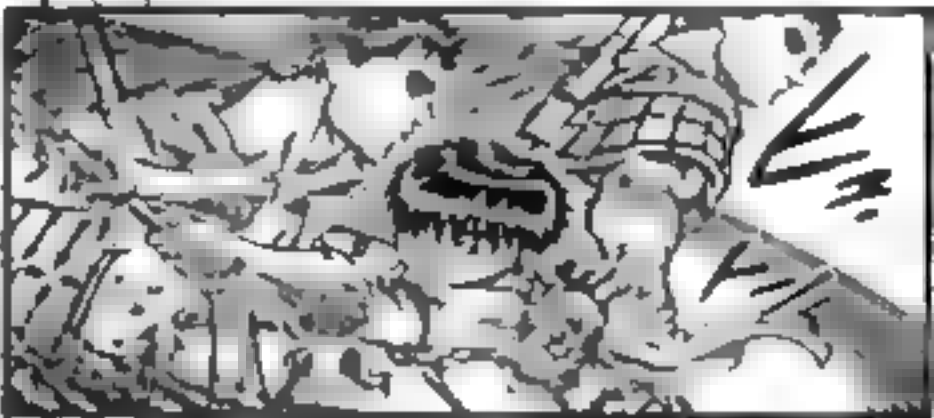
THAT
STORIES

YOU
DID TRY
TO KILL
ME!!

Y. TIME
OUT!

HOLD
ON
HEY!!

SHE'S
BARTON!!





TELL
ME
WHY!

IT'S A
LITTLE MUCH
FOR YOU TO
TRY TO KILL ME
WHEN WE HAVEN'T
SEEN EACH OTHER
IN A YEAR!



RECKLESS
AS EVER,
I SEE.

WHAT
THE
HELL'S
WITH
YOU?



WHY
DID YOU
COME
BACK
NOW...?



IT'S
YOUR



...
FAULT!!



IT'S
YOUR
FAULT

...ALL
OF
IT!!

YOU
DESTROYED.



JUST

EVERY-
THING!

YOU
MESSED
IT ALL
UP!!

YES.

THE
HAWKS.

GRIFTH.



HOW?





THE LIGHT
I CAN
FEEL

BACK
THE ALI



THEY
WERE
THE
ONLY
ONE
WHO
KNEW
THE
SECRET

THE
SECRET
WAS
HIDDEN
IN
THE
HEART



THEY
WERE
THE
ONLY
ONE
WHO
KNEW
THE
SECRET



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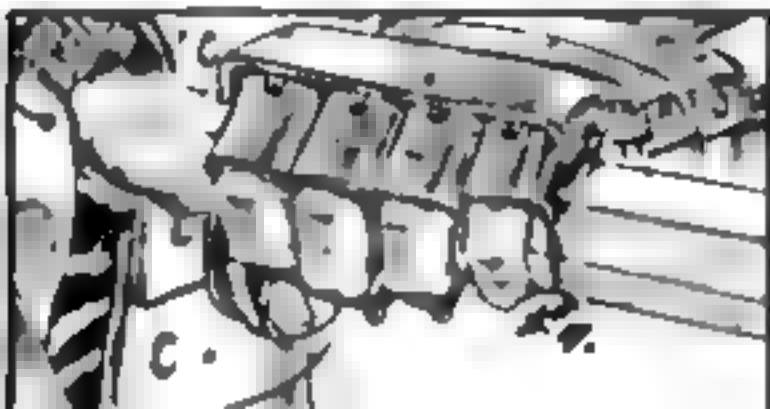
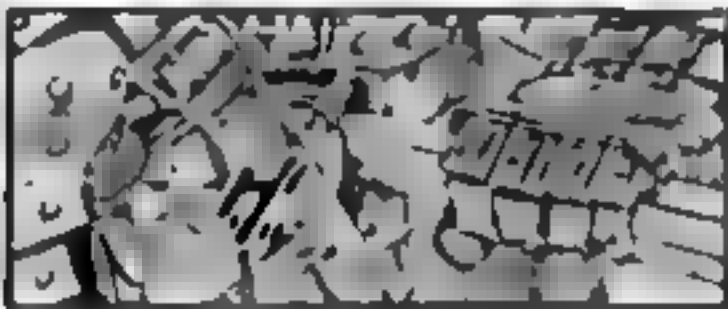
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GRIFITH
WOULD
HAVE
DONE

I ONLY
DID
WHAT

IF WE
DON'T
STANCH THE
BLEEDING



WHAT
ELSE
SHOULD
I HAVE
DONE?




THEN



LET
GO. !!

IDIOT




DID
MY OWN
THING.

I
JUST



LET
GO,
YOU
FOOL
!!

AL-
RIGHT,
I GET
IT....!!

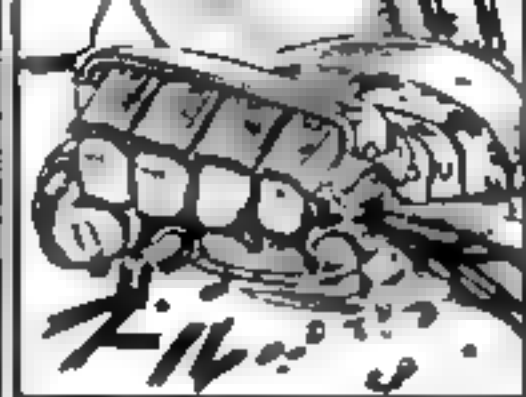


WHAT ELSE
SHOULD I
HAVE
DONE?

LET
GO.



HAHAHA



CAN'T

TAKE IT ANYMORE.



I JUST

BUT



HAHAHA

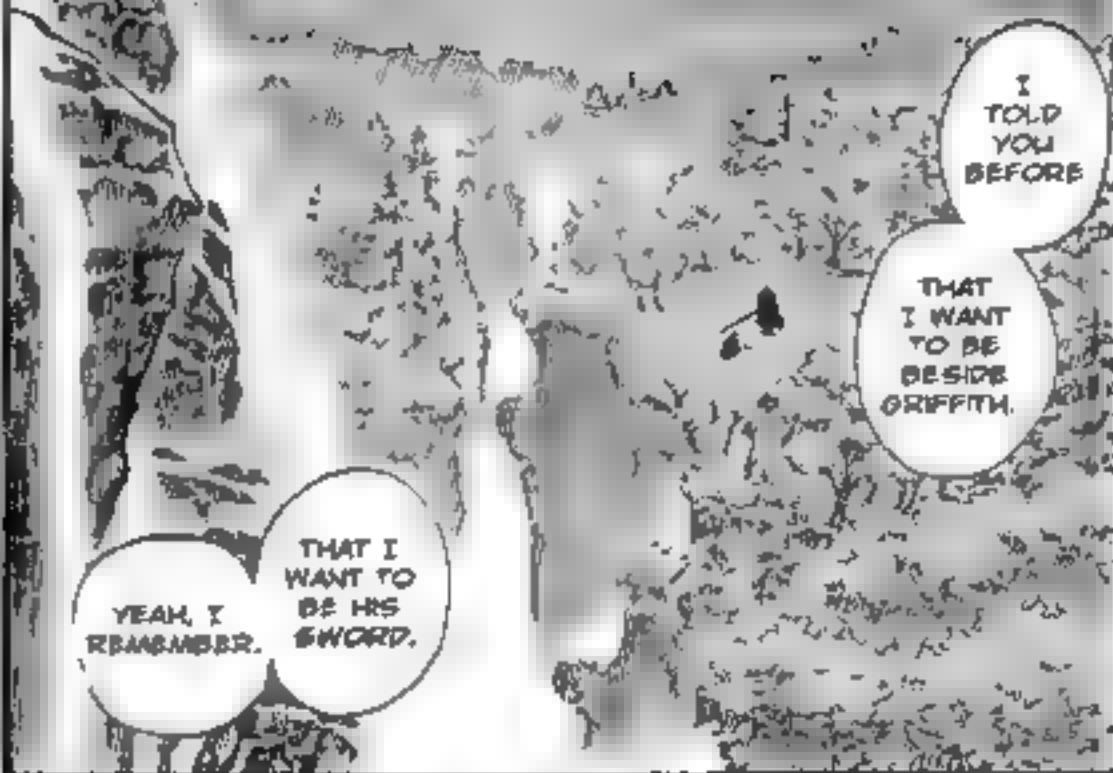
HAHAHA



I KNOW WHAT YOU'RE SAYING IS RIGHT

I KNOW

REALLY I DO.



I FIGURED HE'D BE SURB TO TAKE IT SOME-DAY

AND KNOW-
ING GRIF-
FITH.

MARRYING PRINCESS CHARLOTTE WOULD BE HIS FASTEST SHORTCUT

I'M NOT STUPID I REALIZED IF GRIFFITH SET HIS SIGHTS ON THE THRONE OF MIDLAND.

HAPPEN-
ING NOW

MAYBE EVEN WHAT'S

IT WOULD BE ALRIGHT SO LONG AS I COULD BECOME SOMETHING INDISPENSABLE TO THE REALIZATION OF HIS DREAM.

I WANTED TO BE-
LIEVE.

IF I COULDN'T BE NEAR HIM AS A WOMAN.

AS HIS SWORD

I THOUGHT I COULD BEAR EVEN THIS.

I WANTED TO BE-
LIEVE

THAT THERE WAS NO LONGER ROOM NEXT TO GRIFFITH.

THE WAY THERE USED TO BE.

I FINALLY UNDERSTOOD CLEARLY THAT DAY A YEAR AGO.

BUT..



MY
DREAM...



OR
SOME-
THING
INVALU-
ABLE

I
COULDN'T
BE A
WOMAN.

TO KEEP ON
PROTECTING THE
ALMOST BROKEN
DREAM OF SOMEONE
WHO MIGHT NOT
EVEN BE ALIVE.

DESPER-
ATELY
TRYING TO
PROTECT
THE BAND
OF THE
HAWK.

I
CAN'T

HAD...

IT'S LIKE
I WAS
GOING TO
DISAPPEAR
IF I DIDN'T
AT LEAST
CLING TO
SOME
FRUTLESS
HOPE

DO IT
ANYMORE

...ALREADY
BANDIED.

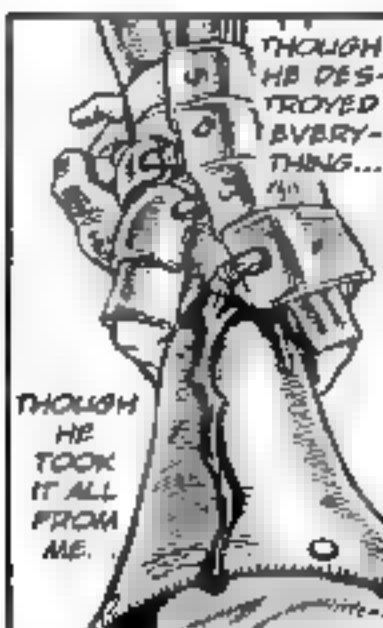
CAN'T

I
JUST

BUT
ENOUGH'S
ENOUGH.







THOUGH
HE DESTROYED
EVERY-
THING...

THOUGH
HE
TOOK
IT ALL
FROM
ME.



AND
THERE
WAS
ONE
MORE.

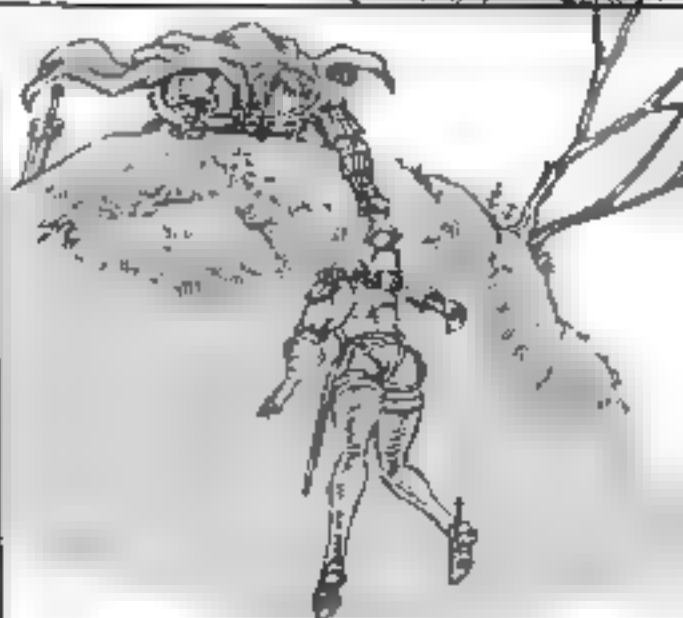
ONE
MORE
THING I
REALIZED
THAT
DAY.



EVEN
THOUGH
I HATE
HIM...



EVEN
NOW





THOUGH
I FEEL
LIKE I
WANT TO
KILL HIM.









CONFESSION: END

THERE IS NO
FALSEHOOD IN
THE WAY I LIVE
THAT ALONE WAS
MY PRIDE

THAT I DIDN'T WANT TO ADMIT
WHAT I HAD BECOME.

IT WAS LIKE THE ME
I HAD BEEN SINCE
I MET GRIFFITH. ...
LIKE THE FEELINGS I'D
HAD SINCE THEN WOULD
ALL BE FALSE.



AFRAID OF ALL
THAT, I'VE LIVED
BY MY SWORD,
WITH THE INTENT
OF SACRIFICING
MYSELF FOR MY
UNREQUESTED
FEELINGS FOR
GRIFFITH.

BECAUSE
IT'S WHAT
GRIFFITH
GAVE
TO ME

I
FINALLY
REALIZED
THAT
DAY.

THAT MORE
THAN GRIFFITH
BROUGHT TO
HIS KNEES
FROM HIS
FIRST
DEFEAT...

... I COULDN'T
TEAR MY
EYES AWAY
FROM HIM...

AS HE
LEFT,
WITHOUT
EVEN
LOOKING
BACK.



ベルセルク



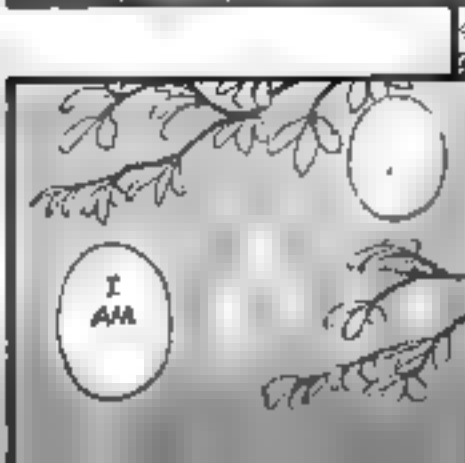
カウボーイ

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WOUNDS, CHAPTER 1

A black and white manga-style illustration. In the foreground, a mechanical device is shown, featuring a long, thin metal rod with a handle and a small rectangular component with four circular indentations. The device is positioned diagonally across the frame. In the background, there is a large, light-colored rock formation and a dense forest with various trees and foliage. A speech bubble is located in the upper right quadrant of the image.

...BUT ..





I
WONDER.

IF I'M
GOING TO
WIND UP
CHANGING...



I'M
SUCH A
COWARD.



WILL
FADE AWAY
AND BE
GONE...

IT'S LIKE
WHAT WAS
IMPORT-
ANT



IF BY
DOING
THIS WITH
YOU...

...EVERYTHING
FROM
YESTERDAY...
EVERYTHING
I FELT SO
DESPERATELY
WILL BECOME
A LIE...



INTO
A
BODY
WITH
THIS
MANY
SCARS

NOBODY
LIES
THEIR
WAY ..

I FEEL
IT TO THE
BONE.

I
KNOW
THAT!

YOU GET ALL
JEALOUS, YOU GET
HARD FAST, AND YOU'RE
QUICK TO HIT! YOU'RE
PLENTY WOMANLY

I
GET
IT,
AL-
READY

I KNOW
HOW
SERIOUS
YOU WERE.

I
UNDER-
STAND.

HE
WAS ON
YOURS
EARLIER

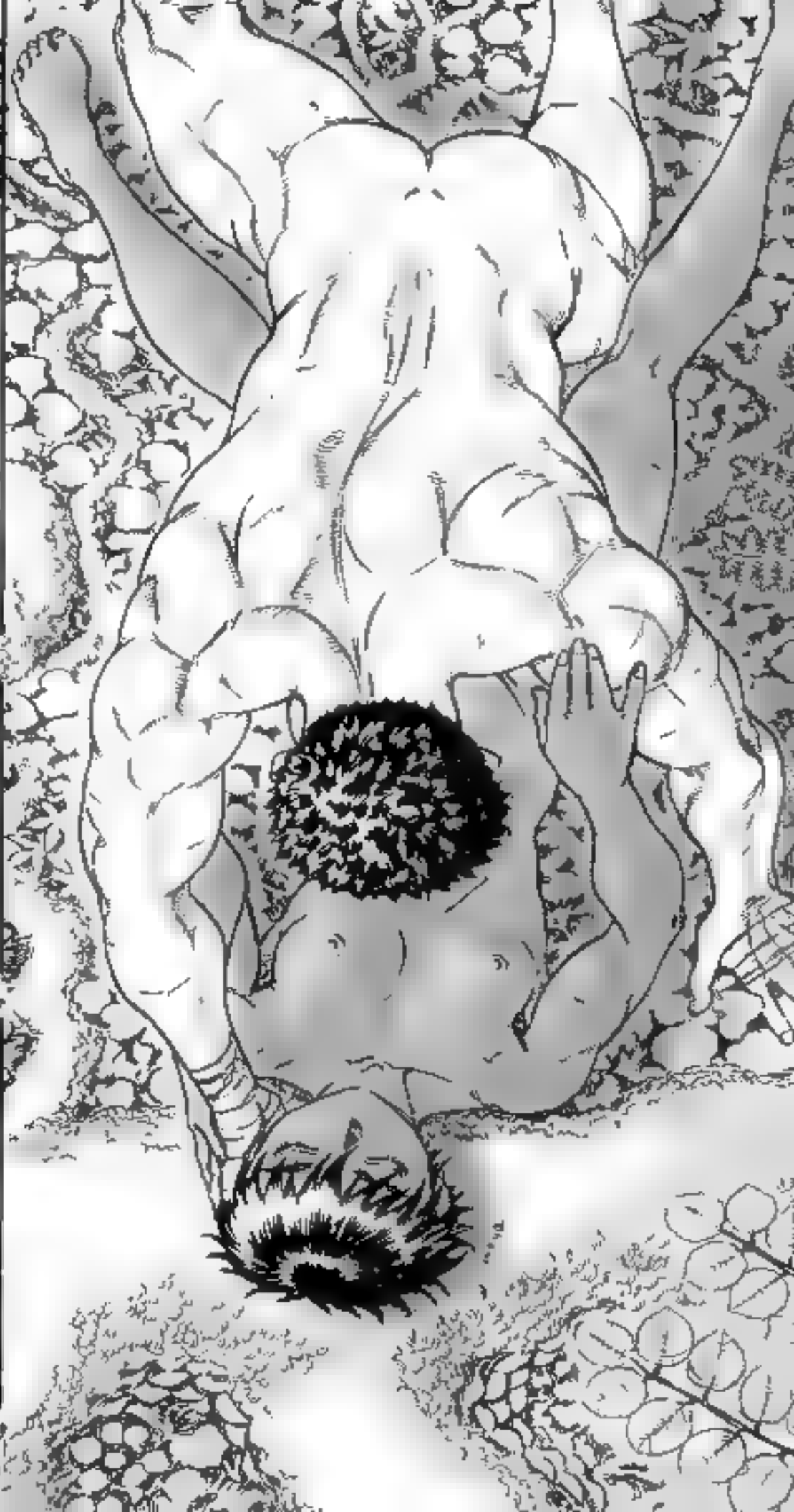
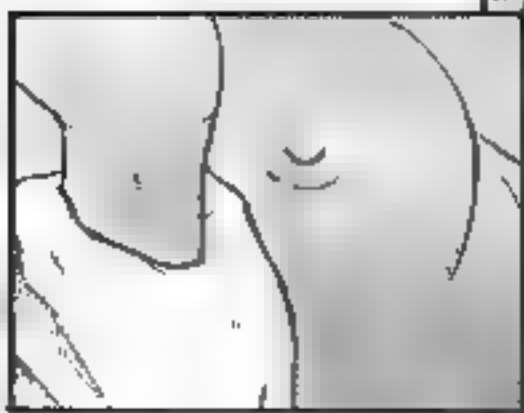
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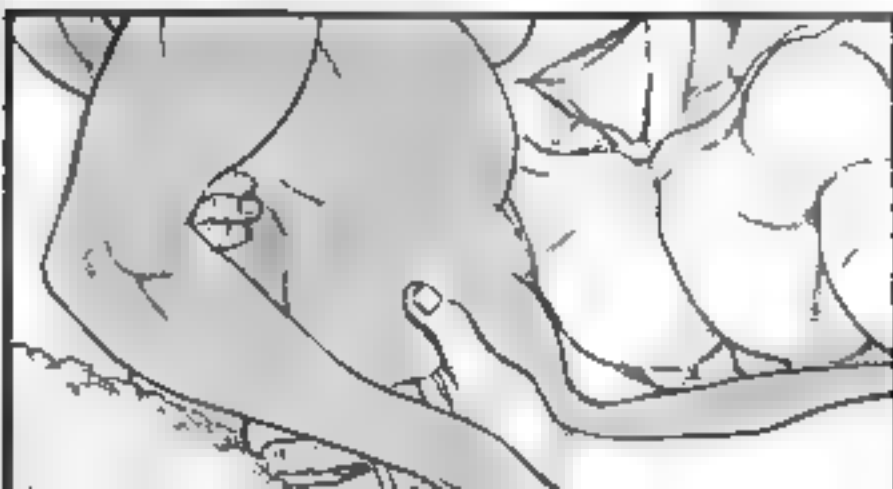
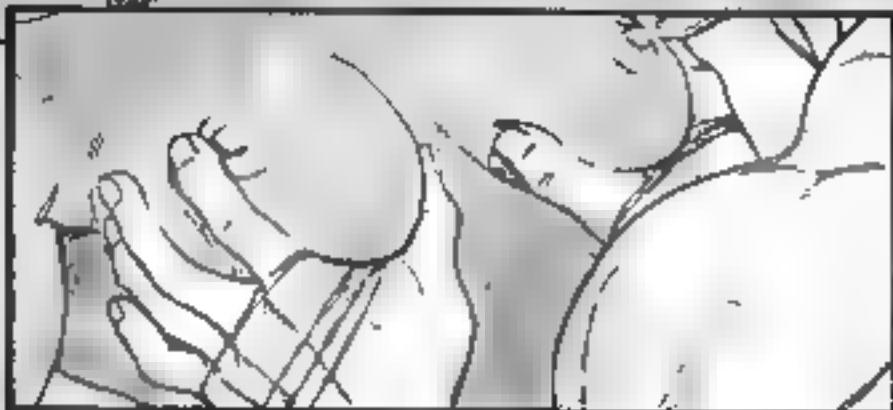
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JINX
OF THE
BATTLE-
FIELD?

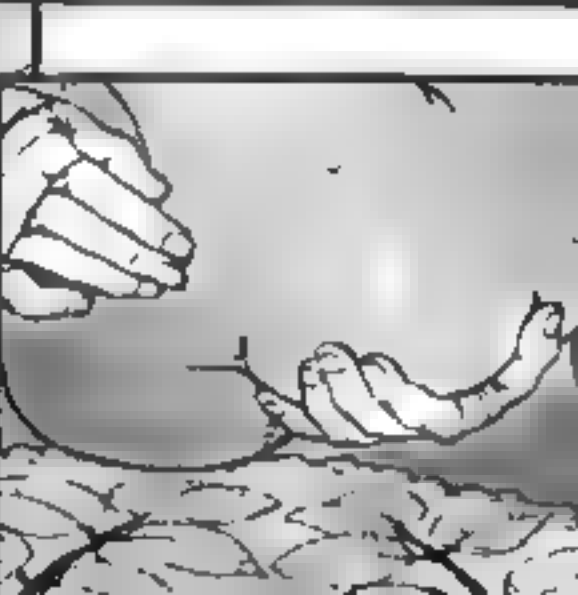
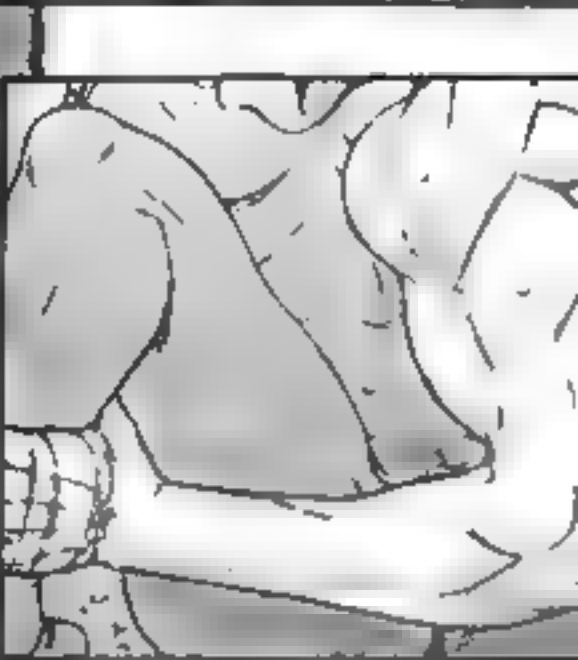
IF YOU SPEND TOO
MUCH TIME FOCUSED
ON THE DEAD OR
BROKEN, YOU'LL FIND
DEATH PERCHED ON
YOUR SHOULDER

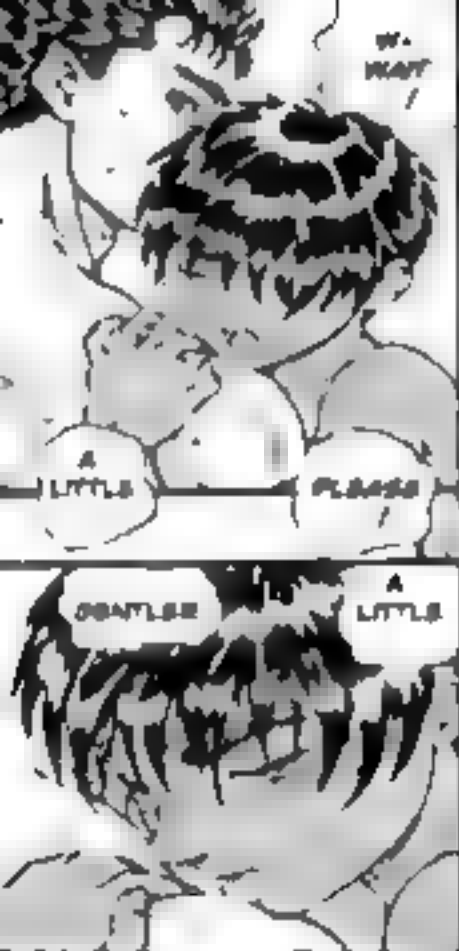












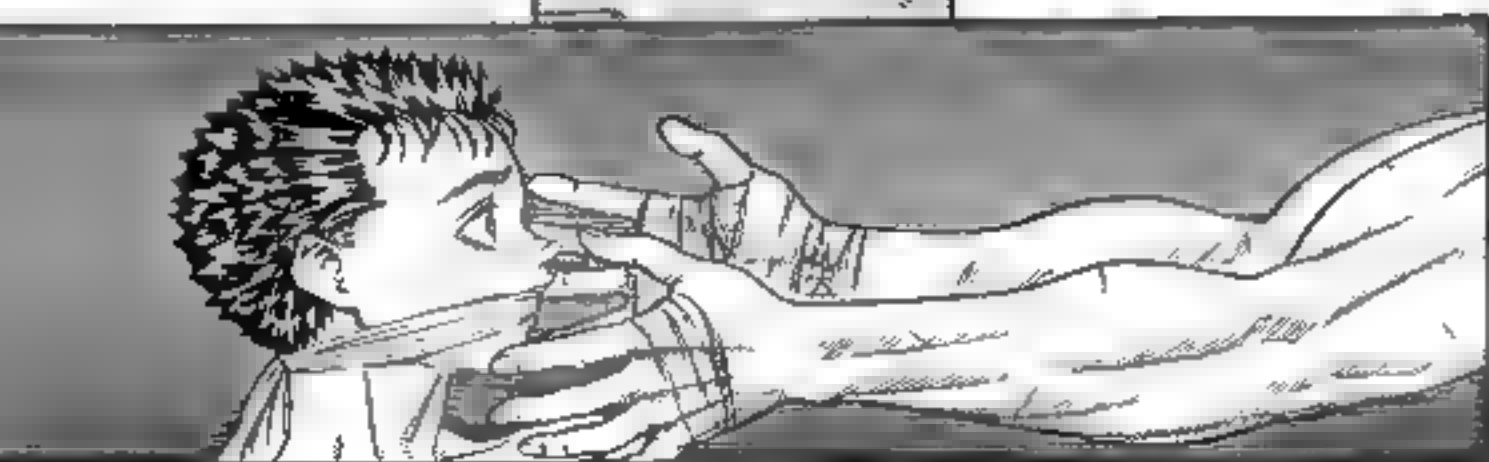
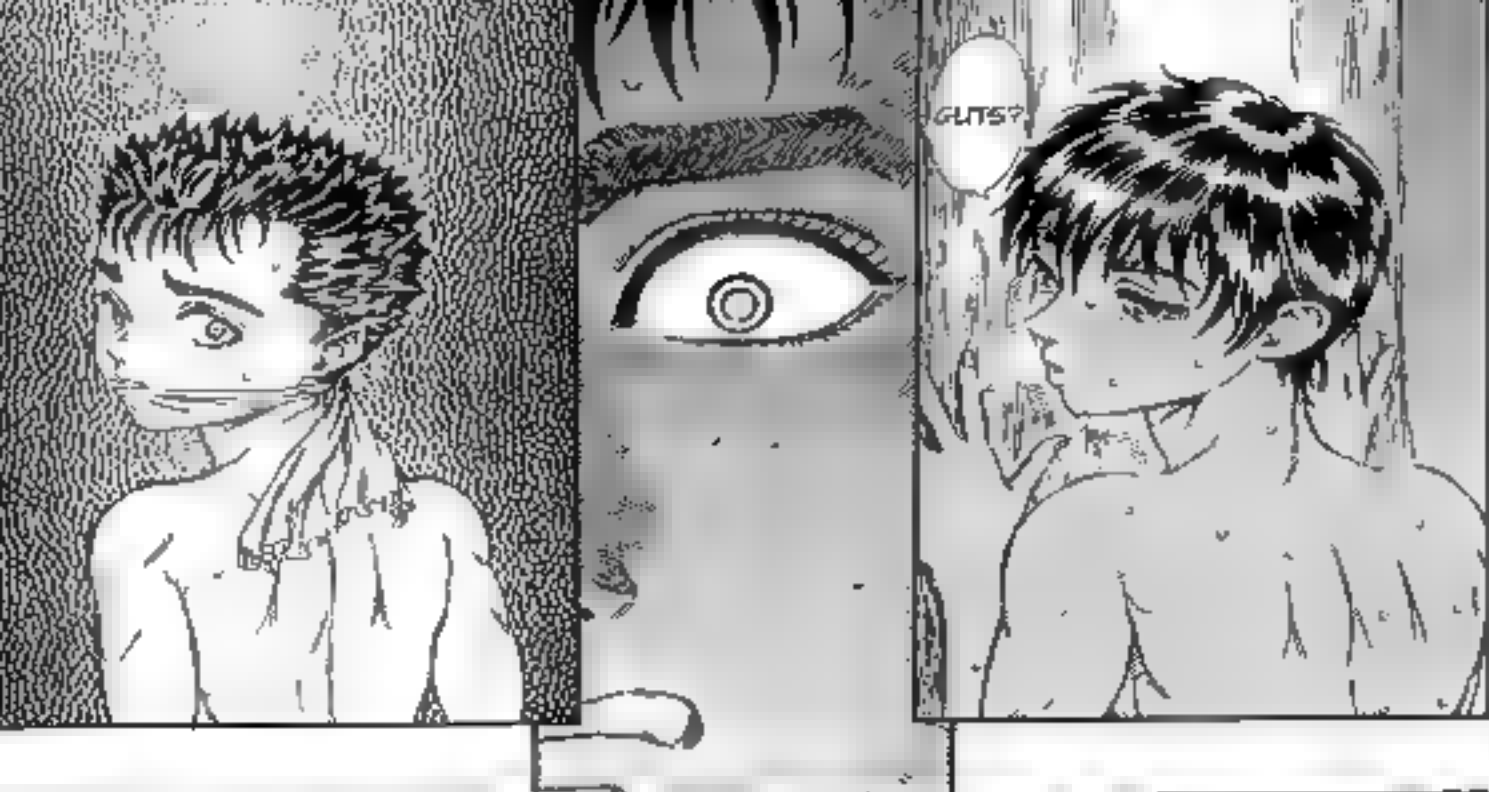






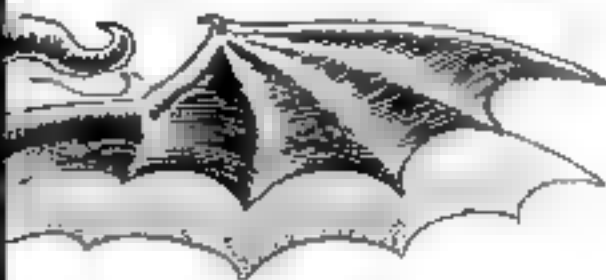






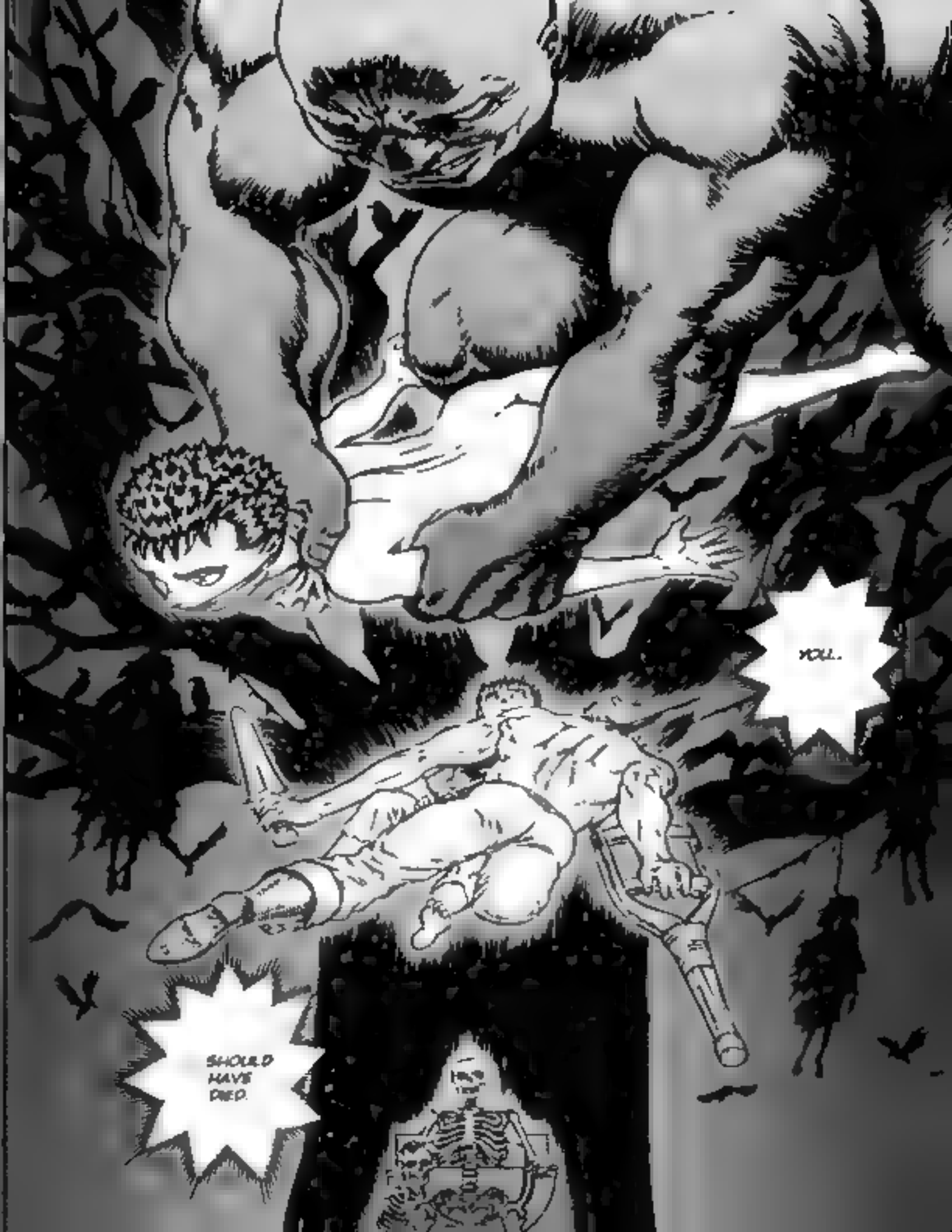


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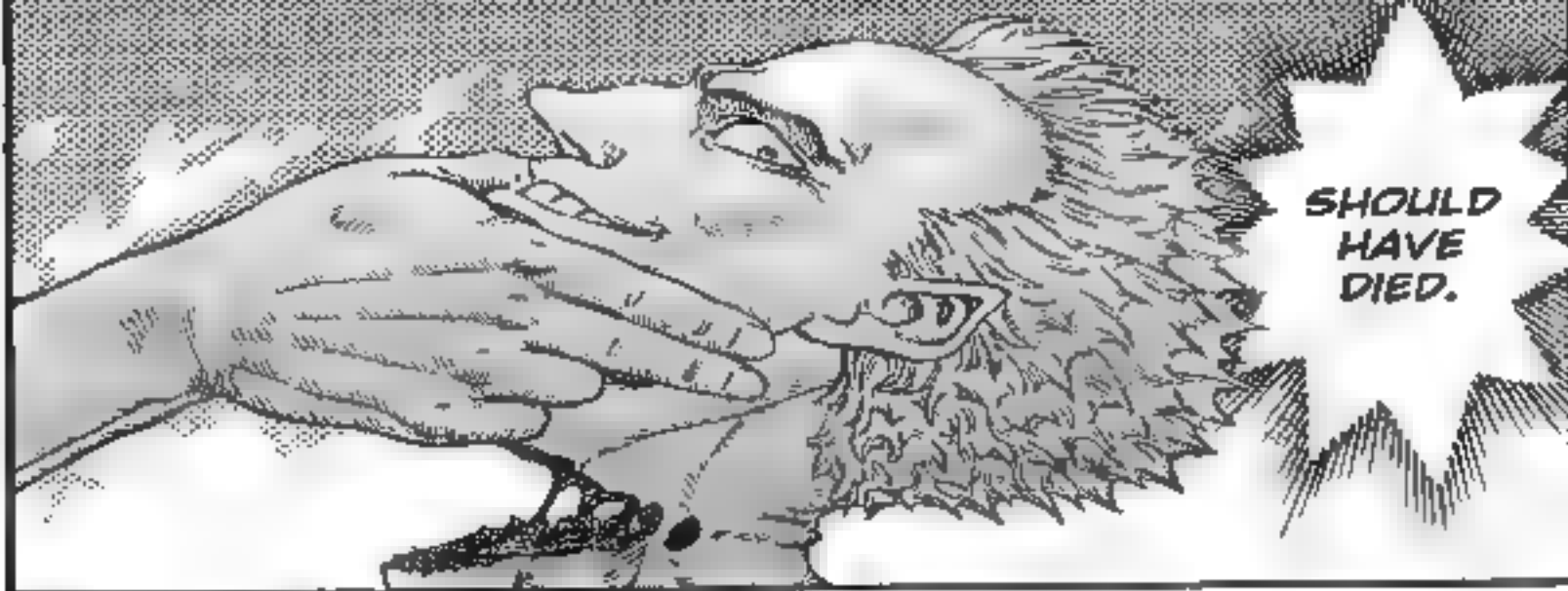
WOUNDS,

CHAPTER 2



YOU..

SHOULD
HAVE
DIED.











KILL?



HE FORCED ME...

PINNED DOWN MY ARMS AND LEGS.

A BIG BLACK SHADOW COVERED OVER ME.



Hahah



MADE IT LOOK LIKE DEATH IN BATTLE FROM BEHIND WITH A BOWGUN

I MURDERED HIM.

SO

THAT F*CK BASTARD!!



I COULDN'T DO A GODDAMNED THING!!

I COULDN'T RESIST ..

NOT AS A CHILD



NO
!!



.. SO
YOU
KILLED
HIM?

GAMBINO
ASSAULT-
ED
YOU..



I
NEVER
MEANT
TO
KILL
HIM!!

GAMBINO
...!!

...?

GAMBINO
WAS
DIFFERENT
...!!



SO
WHY...?!

WHY'D HE SELL
ME OUT TO
THAT PIG
BASTARD.. ?

WHY...?



HE
TAUGHT
ME
THE
SWORD.

HE TOOK
ME IN
WHEN I
WAS A
BABY AND
ALMOST
DEAD.



BUT
WHEN I
LOOKED

...THERE
WAS MY
SWORD

IN
GAM-
BINO'S
THROAT



ALWAYS,
AFTER
HE LOST
HIS LEG IN
BATTLE.

HE WAS
ALWAYS
DRINKING



HE
GOT
DRUNK

AND
SUDDENLY
ATTACKED
ME.
I
THOUGHT
HE'D AVOID
THE
BLOW



HE'D
TALK
TO THIS
DOG.

"SHISHU
SHISHU"

NOT
ONCE
WOULD
HE CALL
OUT MY
NAME



MY
SWORD

.....!!



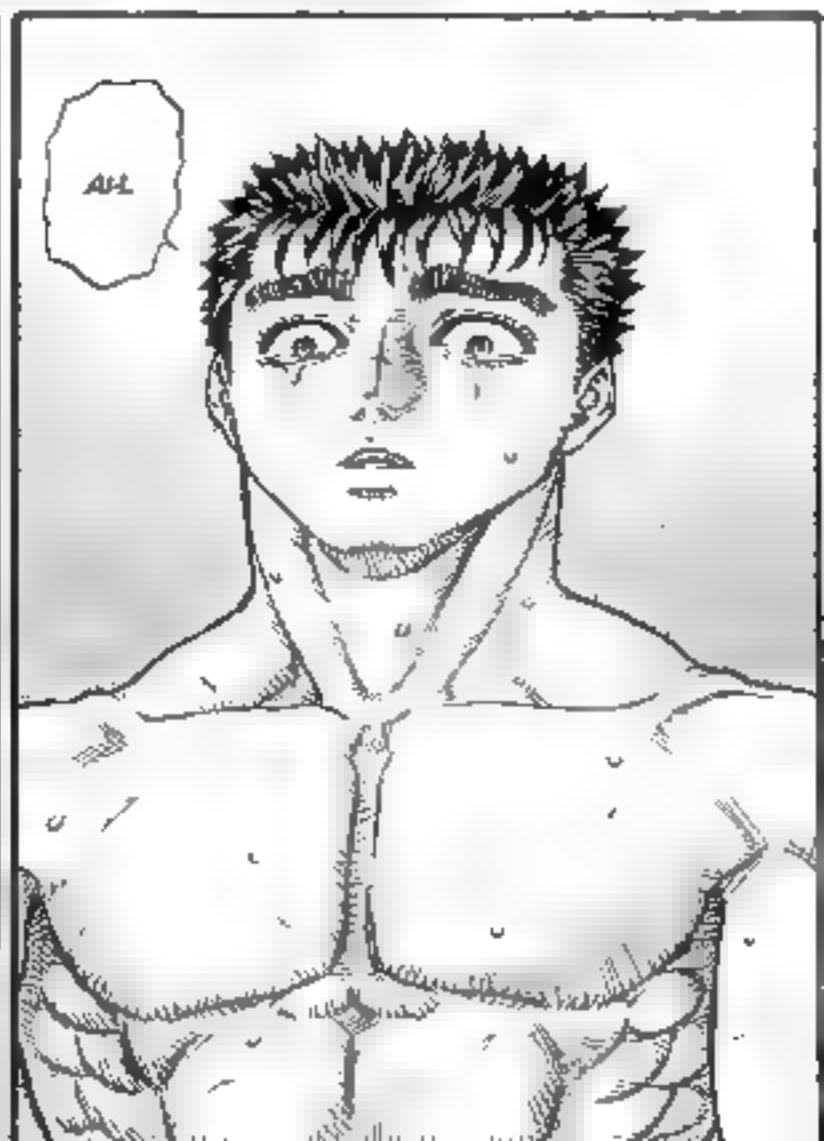
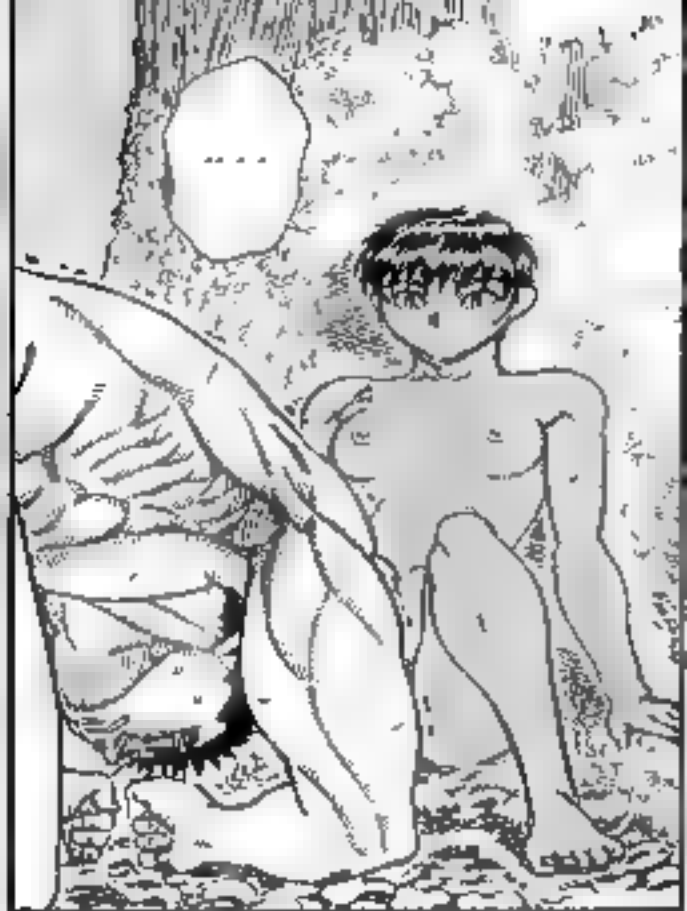
FATHER

I'M
SORRY

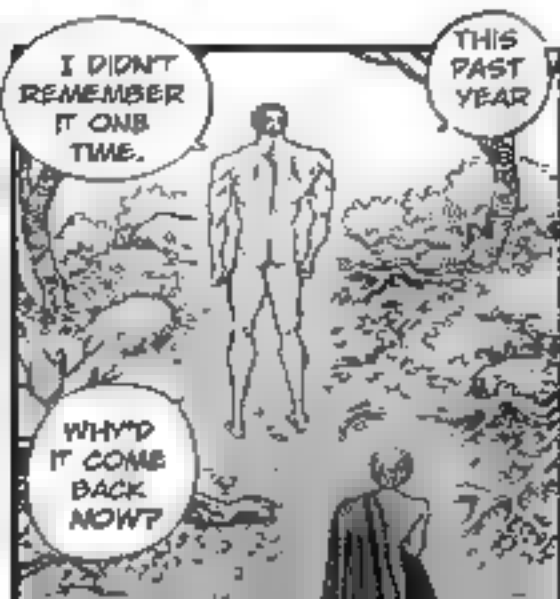
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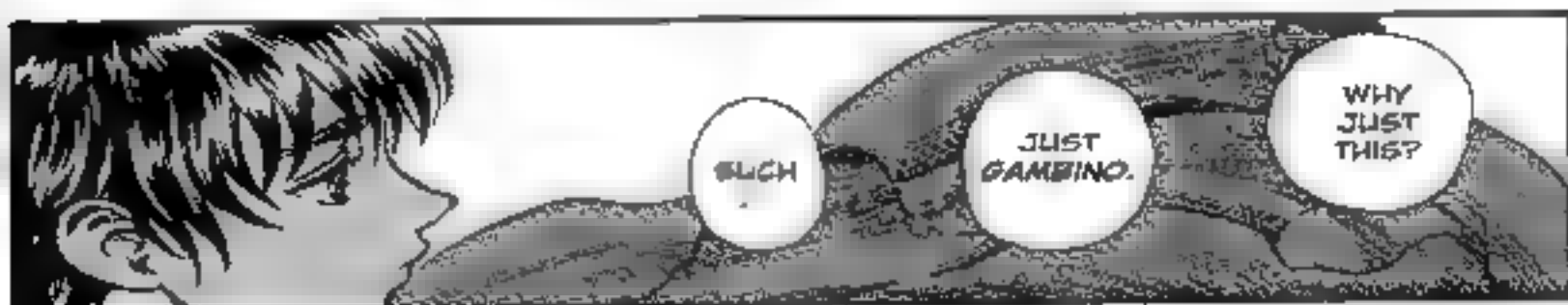
HE
TOLD
ME I
SHOULD
HAVE
DIED.

HE SAID
I SHOULD
HAVE DIED
ELEVEN YEARS
BEFORE,
BENEATH
MY MOTHER'S
CORPSE.









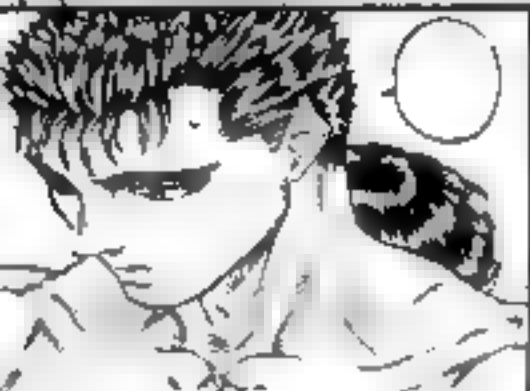
FINE.

EVEN IF
THAT'S
ALL IT
IS.



FINE.

FORGET
ABOUT IT
IT'D JUST BE
US LICKING
EACH OTHERS'
WOUNDS.



THESE
ARE
WOUNDS
FROM THE
HUNDRED-
MAN
BATTLE,
RIGHT?

YOU BLEED
SO MUCH
FOR ME.



SOME-
HOW
I FEEL
LIKE
WE'RE
FINALLY
EVEN.



I'VE
ALREADY
SHOWN YOU
EVERY-
THING.

ALL MY
WEAKNESSES
HAVE BEEN
LAID BARE
FOR YOU...



1/2
7



LICKING
WOUNDS
IS GOOD
ENOUGH



EVEN THE
WOUND
I GAVE
YOU.



I
TOO
WANT A
WOUND...

THAT
I CAN
SAY YOU
GAVE
ME.







AS I
DOZED
OFF...

BESIDE
THE BOY, AN
OVERSIZED
SWORD
SHINED
DIMLY.

...FOR SOME REASON
I RECALLED MYSELF
AS A BOY, RUBBING
IN THE MEDICINE
GAMBINO GAVE ME.

WOUNDS (2): END





STOP

This is the back of the book!

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BERSERK

**KENTARO
MIURA**

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Griffith, charismatic leader of the elite mercenary Band of the Hawk, has seen better days. His fearless champion, Guts, has left the Band, defeating Griffith in personal combat as his ticket out. With his judgment clouded by this unthinkable humiliation, Griffith eases his pain in the arms of the daughter of Midland's king. But the King doesn't take kindly to an employee picking the royal flowers, and the next stop for Griffith is the dungeon and the torture rack! Without Griffith and Guts, the Hawks become easy prey for Midland's army, and the AWOL Guts may be the only answer to the Hawks'—and Griffith's—lethal problems.

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